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LATE NEWS

RUSSIA ATTACKED FROM FINLAND

MOSCOW ANSWERS BERLIN CLAIMS

The following High Command *communiqué* by the Soviet Information Bureau was broadcast by Moscow Radio early to-day:—

"During June 29 (Sunday) Finnish and German troops launched an offensive along the entire front from the Sea of Barentz to the Gulf of Finland in an attempt to pierce our fortifications. The repeated attacks of the Finnish and German troops were repelled by our troops, the enemy leaving hundreds of dead in a number of sectors following the engagements of the day. He was pursued by the fire of our artillery, and retired behind his own fortifications. In the Vilno-Dvinsk area attempts made by enemy mobile units to attack the flank and the rear of our troops, who were retiring to new positions after the battle of the Shaulai, Keidany, Ponevej, Kovno (Kaunas) sectors remained unsuccessful. Energetic counter-attacks by our troops inflicted considerable losses in men and mainly in material on the enemy's mobile units.

AT MINSK

"In the Minsk area our land troops and our Air Force checked any further advance by mechanised enemy units which had pierced through the defences in this sector.

"Mechanised enemy units were cut off by our troops from their bases and from their infantry, and found themselves under the ceaseless bombardment and machine-gunning of our Air Force. They are in an extremely difficult position.

"Covering infantry troops which carried out the retreat from the State frontier are engaged in violent fighting, and are stopping the advance of the enemy's motorised troops and of his infantry along the line Lida-Volkovyssk.

"In the Luck area fighting between important masses of mechanised troops is continuing. In spite of reinforcements by fresh tank units, all attempts by the enemy to penetrate in the direction Novograd-Volynsk and Shepetovka were not only repelled, but our tank units and aircraft succeeded through a series of consecutive attacks in annihilating a great part of the enemy tank units and of his motorised troops.

"2,500 GERMAN TANKS LOST"

The Moscow *communiqué* denies the German claims, and adds:—"We find it even embarrassing to deny this manifest lie and boastful humbug. The real situation is quite different. The Germans concentrated over 170 divisions on the Soviet frontier, and of these at least one-third are tank and motorised divisions. Taking advantage of the fact that Soviet troops were not brought to the frontier, the Germans attacked our frontier troops in a thievish manner, without a declaration of war, and on the first day of war the much-lauded German troops fought our frontier guards, who had neither tanks nor artillery. By the end of the first day of war and throughout the second day only advance units of our regular troops were able to participate in the fighting, and only on the third day and in some places on the fourth day did our regular troops come into contact with the enemy. It is for this very reason the Germans succeeded in occupying Bialystok Grodno, Brest, Vilna and Kovno (Kaunas).

"The Germans set themselves the purpose of thwarting within a few days the deployment of our troops and occupying Kiev and Smolensk by a lightning blow within a week. However, as shown by the course of events, the Germans were unable to achieve their purpose, and our troops were able to deploy, while the 'lightning blow' against Kiev and Smolensk was thwarted.

"As a result of stubborn and fierce fighting during the period of seven or eight days, the Germans lost no less than 2,500 tanks, about 1,500 aeroplanes, and over 30,000 prisoners of war. During the same period we lost 850 aeroplanes, up to 900 tanks, up to 15,000 men missing or taken prisoner.

"Such is the real situation at the front, which we, with full justification, oppose to the boastful reports of the German Radio.

"Results of the first eight days of war permit the following conclusions: The lightning victory which the German Command had expected has failed, co-operation of German fronts has been disrupted, the spirit of offensive of the German Army undermined, while the Soviet troops, despite their late deployment, continue defending Soviet land and dealing to the enemy severe blows, exhausting him."

LORD BEAVERBROOK'S NEW POST

LORD BEAVERBROOK, late British Minister of Aircraft Production, has been appointed Minister of Supply, to secure "all-out" production of tanks, guns and ammunition during the next few critical months, says the Press Association.

Other Government changes announced from 1 Downing street last night include the transfer of Sir Andrew Duncan, present Minister of Supply, to his former post as President of the Board of Trade, while Mr. Oliver Lyttelton, who has just completed his task of introducing "coupons for clothes," now leaves the Board, and is to undertake "special duties abroad."

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE

A case confirmed yesterday at Ballmavaby, Castlewarren, Kilkenny, brought the number of outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease during the week-end to three. The other two cases reported on Saturday were at Wolfhill, Moghis, and Frenchstown, Castlewarren, Kilkenny.

THE ARCHBISHOP AT CENTRAL LIBRARY

The Archbishop of Dublin, the Most Rev. Dr. C. McQuaid, visited the Central Public Library, 74 Merrion square, Dublin, yesterday, and was received by the President, Monsignor Boylan, P.V.G., members of the Council, and by the Hon. Librarian, the Rev. Stephen J. Brown, S.J. The Archbishop was shown through the library, and imparted his blessing to those present and to all supporters of the library.

NEW GERMAN DRIVE AT MINSK

BIG R.A.F. ATTACK AT LILLE

WEEK'S HEAVY GERMAN LOSSES

A HEAVY bombing attack on a power station at Lille, twenty miles inside German-occupied Northern France, on Saturday, was the climax to the second week of Britain's day and night offensive against North-West Germany and across the Channel, writes the Press Association Air Correspondent.

Blenheims of the Bomber Command, escorted by fighters, made the attack on the power station at Comines, one of the most important in Northern France. They began the raid almost before Friday night's bombing of Germany had ended.

"The target was successfully bombed and hits were seen on the main building," said the Air Ministry *communiqué*.

It was the eighth successive day of cross-Channel sweeps. From Sunday to Saturday the Germans lost 94 fighters. In the same time the Royal Air Force lost 27 fighters (two pilots being safe) and three bombers.

These day raids on airfields, troops, shipping and other targets such as goods yards, have been followed by bombing onslaughts on industrial North-West Germany and on vital ports and shipping yards.

The Air Ministry yesterday stated:—

"It is now known that two more enemy fighters, making a total of five, were destroyed during offensive operations over the Channel and Northern France yesterday (Saturday) morning. Both were destroyed by a Polish fighter pilot, who was rescued from the Channel after he had been shot down in combat with other enemy fighters."

ANOTHER DAYLIGHT SWEEP

A British Air Ministry *communiqué* last night stated:—

"This afternoon Royal Air Force fighters carried out a sweep over the coast of Northern France. No enemy fighters were encountered, and our aircraft returned without incident."

GERMAN CONVOY BOMBED

8,000-TON SUPPLY SHIP FIRED

Sunday's British Air Ministry *communiqué* stated:—

"Royal Air Force bombers last night attacked a German convoy off the Island of Ameland. An anti-aircraft vessel and two supply ships, each of about 8,000 tons, were bombed. One of the supply ships was set on fire.

"None of our aircraft is missing.

"Yesterday afternoon aircraft of the Bomber Command encountered a number of enemy fighters over the North Sea off the Dutch coast. In the ensuing engagement several of the enemy fighters were damaged, and one of them was probably destroyed.

"One of our bombers is missing."

NO DAY RAIDS ON BRITAIN

"Up to eight o'clock this evening there are no reports of any enemy aircraft having crossed our coasts to-day," said last night's British Air Ministry *communiqué*.

CATTLE DISEASE RESEARCH

PROPOSED STATION ON AN ISLAND

A prominent veterinarian told an *Irish Times* reporter on Saturday that the £5,000 grant to aid anti-foot-and-mouth research, suggested by Professor Henry Moore, would be best used by founding a research station on some remote island off the coast. Such a station, he said, free of all contact with the mainland, would make the spread of infection impossible.

This idea was put forward in reply to another authority whose opinion was that harm would be done to the export cattle trade by having a centre in this country where cultures of the disease were actively encouraged and infected animals kept.

If the amount of the proposed grant would be sufficient to allow medical and veterinary scientists to operate under proper conditions, the work of this "leper island" of the beasts would be of incalculable importance to the future of Ireland's cattle trade. A similar idea—although not so practicable—was tried many years ago, when the British Board of Agriculture, under Sir Stewart Stockman, sent a research ship to sea to carry out immunisation experiments.

The present British Foot-and-Mouth Disease Committee spends £16,000 a year on research and maintains a constantly working station in a lonely part of the English Southern counties. Ireland is well supplied with nearby islands, on one of which, in the future, some scientist may discover the long-sought formula which many veterinarians declare to be impossible.

THE WAR IN SYRIA

FURTHER BRITISH ADVANCES

PRESS ASSOCIATION.
LONDON, Sunday.

The following *communiqué* was issued from British G.H.Q., Cairo, to-day:—

"Abyssinia—Our forces advancing from Jimma on June 26th occupied the town of Dembi, capturing 600 Italians and 100 Africans.

"Syria—In all sectors local advances have been made."

A *communiqué* from H.Q., R.A.F., Middle East says:—

"Syria — Yesterday, six French Glenn-Martin aircraft were shot down in flames. R.A.F. bombers successfully attacked stores and dumps near Palmyra, and the railway line and other military objectives at Rayak.

"We have occupied Saba Biyar, 60 miles south-west of Palmyra.

"In the Damascus area we have occupied part of the Jebel Mazar. On Friday we captured the Chehim-Mazboud area, eight miles north-east of Sidon. We also occupied Saadiye and Es Seydr, nine miles to the north of Sidon.

"The harbours of Benghazi and Tripoli were heavily raided by our bombers during the night of June 27th-28th. Many hits were made."

Russians Claim Tank Thrusts Held

WHILE the German special communiqué yesterday asserted that in the week's war on Russia four thousand Soviet aircraft and twelve hundred tanks had been destroyed, with forty thousand prisoners taken, the Russians last night said that the advance of the spearhead of the German tank columns in the direction of Minsk and Luck had been stopped.

The German News Agency last night claimed that German motorised divisions have advanced beyond Minsk, whereas the Russian communiqué said that in the direction of Minsk and Baranovitch fierce fighting is in progress, with German infantry units attempting to link up with advanced tank columns. In the Luck direction, say the Russians, large-scale tank battles are in progress, and along the whole Soviet-Finnish frontier attempts by Germans to penetrate have been beaten back. Russian troops in the remaining sectors are firmly holding the State frontier, the Russian communiqué adds.

The German communiqué said that the attack on June 22 was undertaken "to ward off the threatening danger from the East," and later mentioned Russian troops "concentrated for an attack." It claimed that the Luftwaffe, on June 22, shot down 322 Russian 'planes, and that on that day 1,811 Russian 'planes were destroyed, while German aircraft losses were 35. Russian aircraft losses on June 23 had risen to 2,582, and in seven days the Russians lost 4,107 'planes, while the Germans lost 150.

The Germans say that they captured Grodno, Brest-Litovsk, Vilna, Kaunas, are advancing on Lwow, where the western defences are said to have fallen, and that in the Balkan area the Dvina river has been crossed.

GERMAN REVIEW OF WEEK OF WAR

Yesterday's Moscow *communiqué* stated:—

"The advance of tank units forming the spearhead of the enemy tank columns in the direction of Minsk and Luck has been stopped by the operations of our troops. Enemy tank detachments are suffering heavy losses. In the direction of Minsk and Baranovitch fierce fighting is in progress with enemy infantry units attempting to link up with advanced tank columns. Our troops are holding the advance of the main enemy forces in this sector by stubborn resistance and counter-attacks, inflicting heavy defeats on him.

"In the Luck direction large-scale tank battles are continuing, in the course of which our Air Force has dealt a number of crushing blows to the enemy tanks. The results of the battle are under examination.

FRONTIER HELD

"All along the whole Soviet-Finnish State frontier the enemy carried out considerable land reconnaissance, accompanied by artillery fire. All attempts of the enemy reconnaissances to penetrate our territory have been beaten back.

"On the remaining sectors of the front our troops are firmly holding the State frontier.

"According to additional data an enemy submarine was sunk in the Gulf of Riga on June 27.

"Our airmen are fighting with great courage, always bearing in mind the importance of mutual assistance in battle. Captain Delbo, assisting his comrades, engaged two Fascist 'planes and compelled the enemy to retreat. At the head of a small group of fighters he attacked 18 German bombers, forcing them to flee.

"While returning from the successful bombing of German tanks another Soviet airman was attacked by enemy fighters, and entered the zone of anti-aircraft fire. The 'plane was heavily damaged, and the machine-gunner and radio operator gravely wounded. A neighbour came to his assistance, boldly dashing upon the enemy. By accurate fire the machine-gunner and radio operator destroyed two Fascist Messerschmitts.

BATTLE FOR VILLAGE

"The heroic action of the cavalry division made it famous in the whole sector of the front. Early in the morning in a sudden onslaught big German forces captured a border village. At 4 a.m. the cavalry regiment attacked the village, broke the enemy resistance and dashed into the village streets. Fierce fighting ensued, the Germans retreating and suffering big casualties.

"4,000 RUSSIAN 'PLANES DESTROYED"

The following special *communiqué* dealing with the operations in Russia was issued yesterday by the German High Command from Herr Hitler's headquarters:—

"In order to ward off the threatening danger from the East, the German forces thrust into the centre of the enormous concentration of troops at 3 o'clock on the morning of June 22. Formations of the German *Luftwaffe* began to hurl themselves upon the Soviet Russian enemy, while it was still dawn. In spite of the enemy's strong numerical superiority, the *Luftwaffe* succeeded in attaining supremacy in the air in the East already on June 22, beating the Soviet Russian Air Force decisively.

"In aerial combat 322 Red 'planes were shot down, partly by German fighters and partly by A.A. fire.

"Together with the machines destroyed on the ground, the Soviet Russian Air Force lost a total of 1,811 'planes on June 22nd. The German losses on this day amounted to 35.

READY FOR ATTACK

"In the early hours of June 22nd the German East Army crossed the frontier on a wide front. The German forces thrust into the centre of the Soviet Russian troops that were being concentrated for an attack. In some sectors the German forces broke through the enemy's strong frontier fortifications already on the first day.

"Violent counter-attacks of the Soviet Russian Army collapsed and the enemy suffered very heavy losses. The German Luftwaffe played a worthy part in these fights.

"On June 23rd the enemy carried out frenzied counter-attacks against the head of our attacking column. In this trial of strength of the forces on both sides the German soldier remained the victor. All Soviet Russian thrusts were repulsed. Some of them were broken in bloody and bitter hand-to-hand fighting.

"The fortress of Grodno was attacked and taken after a hard fight. On this day the enemy air force again suffered very severe losses. By the evening of June 23rd the number of Soviet 'planes destroyed had increased to 2,582.

"The fortress of Brest Litovsk, attacked by the heaviest of our artillery, fell into our hands. The citadel, the last stronghold of the enemy, was taken by storm by our troops on June 24th. The German advance reached Vilna and Kovno (Kaunas). Both towns were taken on the same day.

TANK BATTLES

"In order to stem the German advance, the Soviet Russian Army attempted to attack our divisions with innumerable tanks, with the aim of cutting our rear communications or breaking through the ring closing in on them. The German motorised arm, acting in conjunction with our anti-tank squads, prevailed, however. They were supported by anti-aircraft artillery and the Air Force. Even the new giant Russian tanks were defeated by the courage of the German soldier and the excellence of his weapons.

"At the end of the first four days of fighting 1,200 Soviet tanks had been destroyed by the Army and 97 by air formations."

Dealing with the operations of June 26th, the communiqué says:—

"In a daring advance our troops operating in the Balkan area reached the river Dvina and crossed at several places. The town of Duenaburg (Daugavpils) fell into German hands. All efforts of the enemy to stem our advance by desperate counter-attacks were frustrated by the bravery of our troops.

"After two days' fighting the German armoured forces brought vast tank engagements north of Kovno to a victorious conclusion. Several divisions were encircled and destroyed. More than 200 Soviet Russian tanks, including 29 of the heaviest type, and more than 150 guns and hundreds of motor vehicles fell into our hands.

OUTSIDE LWOW

"The fight in the sector south of the Pripet marshes was against specially picked Soviet troops. In a tough and heroic fight, the strongest and most modern fortifications west of Lwow were taken. Our troops are now victoriously advancing against Lwow itself.

"North of this locality German motorised divisions are fighting their way forward through Luck to the east. Here, as in all sectors, a special contribution was made to our victorious progress by the *Luftwaffe* in its reconnaissance and heroic attacks on the enemy forces, which were constantly being brought up to the front from the interior of the country.

"The enemy's losses are immense. Large numbers of enemy tanks were destroyed. In the fight for Dubno alone 215 tanks and many guns, including 41 of the heaviest type, were captured.

"In the course of progressive operations in the area east of Bialystok two Soviet Russian armies are now encircled on all sides. In spite of desperate attempts to break out made in the last days, the ring is drawn in on them more and more closely by the German armies. In a few days they will either capitulate or be wiped out. Thus will be sealed the fate of those numerous divisions which were earmarked for carrying out the central thrust against Germany.

"Land operations are being carried through by infantry divisions of the army and groups of the armed S/S in shattering attacks. The Air Force is supporting them.

"SUCCESS APPROACHING"

"Swerving round the Bialystok depression on both sides our armoured troops and motorised divisions have reached the Minsk area. A fresh great success is approaching."

After giving details of war material captured from the Russians, the German communiqué continues:—

"The Luftwaffe has inflicted on the Soviet Air Force devastating defeats up to now by fighters, bombers and anti-aircraft batteries. In seven days 4,107 Soviet 'planes were destroyed on the ground or in the air. In the same period we have lost 150 'planes.

"The German materials and pilots are vastly superior. This mighty loss of 'planes, tanks and other war materials captured or destroyed is due to the exemplary co-operation of the German forces. At the same time they are an expressive and surprising picture of the greatness of the danger that lay east of the German frontier.

"Germany probably succeeded at the eleventh hour in averting the danger of an invasion of Central Europe, and the deepest gratitude is due to our brave troops."

40,000 PRISONERS

Continuing, the German communiqué says:—

"In operations started against Soviet Russia in the short period from June 22 to 27, 1941, tremendous results have been obtained. We have captured during these first days more than 40,000 prisoners and the enemy have also sustained heavy losses. So far, 600 guns have been counted as booty and 2,233 tanks, including 46 of the heaviest type. The heaviest tank is 52 tons. They have been partly destroyed, partly captured.

"In addition, there are vast quantities of anti-tank and anti-aircraft guns, machine-guns, motor vehicles and so on. The numbers are increasing hour by hour, and they will be vastly increased by the capitulation or destruction of the encircled Russian armies."

"The surface and submarine forces of the German Navy have carried out a number of operations with great coolness in the fight against the Soviet Navy. In the East Baltic a Soviet destroyer was sunk by a mine and the cruiser Maxim Gorky severely damaged. German submarines have destroyed two Soviet submarines. German M.T.B.'s have sunk two destroyers, a torpedo boat and a submarine.

"The attempt of two Soviet destroyers to attack the harbour of Constanza was frustrated by coastal batteries. After a short bombardment one of them blew up and the other made off at top speed."

RUSSIANS BOMB BUCHAREST

PARACHUTISTS IN RUMANIA

Yesterday's official German-Rumanian military communiqué from Bucharest says:—

"Action against the Soviet forces continues from the mountains of Kuovina to the sea. Everywhere the German and Rumanian units have succeeded in carrying out their objectives. All attempted counter-attacks by the enemy have been broken. In the Delta operations are proceeding.

"German and Rumanian 'planes continued offensive and covering operations, establishing their superiority over the enemy. The enemy carried out bombing operations in the regions of Lassy, Buzeu, Galatz and Constanza, attacking the civil population with bombs and machine-guns with insignificant results. On June 26 three enemy 'planes succeeded for the first time in dropping several bombs in one quarter of the capital without, however, causing serious damage. Two of the three 'planes were shot down by fighters.

"On June 26 two Soviet destroyers appeared off Constanza. One of them, the Moscow, was sunk and the other probably damaged. Enemy parachutists were dropped at a number of points, the majority of whom were captured."

LIMIT OF U.S. HELP FOR EIRE

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
HYDE PARK, NEW YORK, Friday.

President Roosevelt to-day said that he was investigating the question of sending some rifles to the Irish, but no ammunition could be sent, because the United States was "way behind on ammunition" even for herself.

The Irish, he declared, wanted all kinds of things in addition to rifles, but most of them were things the United States could not get.

Armament aid for Ireland must follow assurances that the Irish would defend themselves against German attack. No such assurance had been received.

The problem of how to help Ireland was discussed here to-day with President Roosevelt by four Congressmen with Irish backgrounds—Senators Mead and O'Mahoney and Congressmen Keogh and McCormack.

The Irish have chartered three ships to carry half a million dollars' worth of foodstuffs, but President Roosevelt was not able to tell the four Congressmen whether any of these ships had yet sailed.

President Roosevelt said that there were enough existing plants to make firearms, but more plants for ammunition had to be erected.

EVIL WILL END

POPE'S PITY FOR WAR VICTIMS

GOD WILL RESTORE JUSTICE

THE POPE, broadcasting yesterday on the occasion of St. Peter's and Paul's day, dealt with the faith of Rome as the faith which will be preached to the whole world.

After the hasty burial of the bodies of the two great martyrs, St. Peter and St. Paul, it seemed to the early Christians that implacable cruelty had triumphed, striking at and overthrowing the two pillars whose presence alone had sustained the faith and the courage of the little Christian group. Now their hearts must have felt the distress of sorrow as they found themselves without the comfort and company of those two strong spokesmen, abandoned to the brutality of a Nero and to the dreadful power of a Roman Imperial greatness.

WAR EVILS

"We who received in succession to Peter the mission to comfort our brethren in Jesus Christ, we, like you, feel our heart grow faint at the thought of the evil of the suffering and anguish that now rages over the world. There are not lacking, it is true, in the darkness of the storm comforting signs which fill our hearts with great and holy expectation—generous courage in defence of the fundamentals of Christian civilisation and confident hope of their triumph; on the other hand, pain and evil penetrating the lives of individuals and the sacred shrine of family, the social organisation; a decadence of the spirit of justice and of charity; peoples overthrown, or fallen into an abyss of disaster; human bodies torn by bombs or machine-gun fire; wounded and sick, who fill hospitals and often come out with their health ruined, their limbs mutilated, invalids for the rest of their lives; prisoners far from those dear to them and often without news of them; individuals and families dispersed, separated from their homes, suffering in misery without support, without means of earning their daily bread; evils, all of them, which affect not only the fighters, but weigh on the whole population; old men, women, children, the most innocent, the most peace-loving, bereft of all defence; blockades and counter-blockades that aggravate almost everywhere the difficulty of getting supplies of foodstuffs, so that already here and there famine in all its horrors makes its threatened appearance.

PERSECUTIONS

Add to this the indescribable sufferings, pain and persecution that so many of our dear sons and daughters, priests and others, in some places endure for the name of Christ because of their religion, of their fidelity to the Church, because of their sacred ministry; pains and bitterness which anxiety for those that suffer does not permit us to reveal in all their sad and moving details. Before such an accumulation of evil, of obstacles to virtue, of disasters or trials of every kind, it seems that man's mind and judgment have become confused, and, perhaps, in the heart of more than one of you is written the terrible suggestion of doubt which perchance, at the death of the two Apostles was a disturbing temptation for some of the less staunch Christians—How can God permit all this; how can an omnipotent God, infinitely wise and infinitely good, possibly allow so many evils which He could so easily prevent?

WORDS OF PETER

And there rise to the lips the words of Peter: "Lord, be it far from me. Neither Your wisdom nor Your goodness, nor Your honour itself, can allow that evil and violence dominates to such an extent over the world, deride You and triumph over Your silence. Where is Your power and providence? Must we then doubt either Your divine government or Your love for us?"

"My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor your ways My ways," answered Christ to Peter.

All men are as children before God, even the most experienced leaders of the people. They judge events with the fore-shortened vision of time which passes and flies past irrelevantly. God, on the other hand, sees events from on high—from the unmoved centre of eternity. Men have before their eyes the limited view of a few years; God has before him the all-embracing panorama of the ages. Men think of human events in relation to their proximate causes and immediate effects; God sees them from their remote causes and judges them in their remote effects. God sees our whole hidden complicated convergence of responsibility because His exalted providence does not exclude the free choice of evil and good in human selection.

TRUST IN GOD

Trust in God means the abandonment of one's self to God with all the force of the will sustained by grace and charity, in spite of all doubts. It means believing that God can permit at times the prevalence of Atheism and of impiety, a lamentable obscuring of justice, the violation of law, and of the tormenting of innocent people, undefended, helpless and maimed. But it means believing at the same time, and finally that the fierce intensity of the trial like the triumph of evil will endure even here below only for a fixed time and no longer. The all-powerful hand of the Heavenly Father with an imperceptible motion will disperse it, and, by ways little known to the minds of men, justice and peace will be restored to the nations.

DUBLIN PLAYGROUNDS' SUMMER FESTIVAL

Under the auspices of the Civics Institute, Ltd., children of the Dublin Playgrounds held their Summer Festival on Saturday last in the Iveagh Grounds, Dublin.

The programme included a presentation of badges to captains elected by the children of each playground, these represented being Hill street, Dock street, Cabra and Broadstone. There were maypole and floral dances, singing games and figure marching. The proceeds will provide new handicraft equipment for the playgrounds.

The production of the festival was by Mrs. B. T. Coote. The dances were arranged by Miss Agnes Delaney, assisted by Miss A. O'Connor, Miss C. Lynn and the play-leaders. Members of the orchestra were: Mrs. Maguire, Miss M. Morris, Miss Concannon and the Rev. E. N. Coote.

The attendance included the Lord Mayor (Mrs. T. Clarke), Alderman A. Byrne, T.D., Councillor Colman, Mr. Manning Robertson (Hon. Secretary, Civics Institute), Sir James and Lady Hartigan, Major and Mrs. Sharpe, Mrs. Maguire and Mrs. Scales.

"An Attack on the Capital"

Army and L.D.F. in Big Exercise

BUTCHERS, bakers, candlestick-makers and the members of the hundred-and-one other trades and professions who are to be found in the ranks of the Local Defence Force, donned their uniforms on Saturday to reinforce the Army's Dublin garrison and resist "an attack on the capital." This was the first large-scale exercise employing both regular troops and the L.D.F. in the Dublin area, and its object was to test out the co-operation of the L.D.F. and military in the defence of the city.

The action opened on Saturday night, when a reconnaissance in force was made by the attackers (Army field troops constituting the "Red" Army) against the outpost line (composed of L.D.F. units) several miles from the city. This reconnaissance was made to the north of Dublin, and infantry and armoured units continued their attack throughout the night. Bridges were "demolished," and then came the main attack just an hour before dawn. The defending units (the "Blue" Army) were without the aid of aircraft: all aircraft operating belonged to the "Red" Army, and these "bombed" a number of the defenders' positions during the early hours of yesterday morning.

PIGEON POST

The dawn attack penetrated the outpost line on a front of several miles. This was expected, because, in view of its length, the outpost line only could be held weakly. The value of this screen, however, was shown by the volume of speedy and accurate information which was received in the headquarters of the "Blue" Army. There were several admirable examples of initiative shown by L.D.F. officers and men on outpost duty, and one district used a pigeon messenger service to get their information back to headquarters, even when their line had been penetrated. Skilful harassing tactics against the flanks and even the rear of the attackers by the outposts during the break-through period delayed the action sufficiently long for the concentration of the main "Blue" forces to meet the main thrust of the "Red" Army.

First aid posts had been established in some areas, and these dealt with imaginary casualties during the period of the exercise. The A.R.P. Warden Service also was on duty while the "attack" was in progress.

"SECRET AGENTS"

"Secret agents" added to the complexity of the situation for the defenders. These were employed by the attackers to obtain information and spread confusion. In some cases, however, these "agents" were captured by the "Blue" troops, who also employed every possible device (sometimes questioning civilians) to discover the movements of the attackers.

When the two main forces were in contact on the northern outskirts of the city, on a front extending approximately from Glasnevin to Inchicore, the exercise was called-off in order to avoid undue interference with civilian traffic.

Dubliners found plenty to interest them in the activities of the city's defenders. Every bridge and road block was manned by L.D.F. units, with regular troops manning guns to cover the approaches. Other temporary "blocks"—a barrel placed in a roadway, a line of grass sods half-way across a road—revealed that the defenders were using imagination and initiative.

Mr. de Valera, Mr. Frank Aiken (Minister for Co-ordination of Defensive Measures) and Mr. Oscar Traynor (Minister for Defence) accompanied by the Chief of Staff (Lieutenant-General D. McKenna) and the Director of Operations, visited the headquarters of the "Blue" Army and a number of posts both in the outpost line and on the main front during the course of yesterday morning.

TEST OF STAMINA

A senior military officer, commenting on the exercise, expressed himself as generally satisfied with its result. He remarked that such exercises in the vicinity of towns and built-up areas were particularly difficult to direct and control, as troops and L.D.F. men could not enter buildings or gardens and were forced to take up positions in the vicinity of those buildings which would normally be occupied. This, he said, tended to introduce an air of unreality, nevertheless both the troops and L.D.F. entered whole-heartedly into the spirit of the operations.

The exercise, added the commentator, also provided a test of the men's stamina, because, as a result of the aggressive tactics employed by the attacking commander the majority of the defenders were continually on duty without sleep for almost twenty-four hours.

While neither the attackers nor the defenders had the satisfaction of a decisive result to their encounter, there appeared to be little doubt that the defence plan had been well worked out and was being skilfully directed and operated.

COAL RATION HALVED

MAXIMUM PRICES FOR TURF FIXED

The coal ration for the two months' period, July and August, has been fixed at one quarter of a ton. A similar amount was fixed for June.

This arrangement refers to what are known as non-turf areas.

In the turf areas the purchase of coal, except under permit, is prohibited. These areas include the Counties of Clare, Donegal, Galway, Kerry, Kildare, Leitrim, Leix, Longford, Mayo, Offaly, Roscommon, Sligo, Tipperary (North Riding) and Westmeath.

As from to-morrow (1st July) no person shall offer turf for sale in the Borough or County of Dublin at a price (inclusive of cost of delivery) exceeding one ton or more, at the rate of 45s. per ton; less than one ton, but not less than a half-ton, at the rate of 23s. 6d. per half-ton; less than half a ton, but not less than a quarter of a ton, at the rate of 12s. 6d. per quarter of a ton; less than five hundredweight, but not less than one hundredweight, at the rate of 2s. 9d. per hundredweight; exclusive of the cost of delivery, less than eight stones, at the rate of 4d. per stone.

This Order, which has been made by the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance (Mr. Hugo Flinn) in his capacity of Controller of Turf, further provides that in the area affected no turf shall be sold other than by weight. The Order does not apply to turf briquettes.

An advertisement concerning the Order appears in another page.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

CARTY—June 22, 1941, at 15 Lower Hatch street, to Catherine, wife of Dr. Thomas J. Carty, Glasnevin, a son (Austin Timothy).

CRAIG—June 26, 1941, at Portobello House, Dublin, to Esther and Arthur Craig, Aravon, Bray, a daughter.

MURPHY—June 24, 1941, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Doreen, wife of Thomas Vincent Murphy, Winstead, Temple road, a son.

PHELAN—June 15, 1941, at St. Philomena's Private Nursing Home, Kilkenny, to Dr. and Mrs. Phelan, Central Hospital, Kilkenny, a son.

DEATHS.

ALLEN—June 25, 1941, at "Eglinton," Dundrum (the residence of her niece), Annie, dearly-loved wife of the late William Allen. Funeral at St. Nahi's, Churchtown, at 6 o'clock this (Monday) evening. N.I. papers please copy.

ATOCK—June 29, 1941, Marion Louise, widow of Arthur Atock, M.D., suddenly, at her home, Glencairn, North Circular road, Dublin. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

BELL—June 27, 1941, of 203 Brandon road, Drimnagh, Esther Alice, wife of late Henry Bell, after short illness. Deeply regretted by her loving children. Funeral private. English papers please copy.

BRENNAN—June 28, 1941, at his residence, Tulls, Co. Clare, Patrick Brennan. Deeply regretted. High Mass to-day (Monday), 10.30 (S.T.). Funeral, 2 p.m. (S.T.).

BROWN—June 29, 1941, at Ulster Bank House, Kilkenny, Robert, eldest son of the late William and Mrs. Brown, The Mount, Killinchy, Co. Down. Funeral from St. Canice's Cathedral to-morrow (Tuesday), July 1st, at 4.30 p.m.

CLARKE—June 29, 1941, at her residence, 95 Donaghadee road, Bangor, Isabella Matilda Clarke, wife of the late William Clarke, 46 Grosvenor road, Dublin. Funeral strictly private.

FLOOD (Blackrock)—Margaret Flood, widow of the late Peter Flood, of Sandycove. Funeral strictly private. No flowers; prayers instead. R.I.P.

GARRY—June 27, 1941 (suddenly), at the Formby Nursing Home, Liverpool, Rita, loving wife of Dr. Michael Garry. Funeral at 10 a.m. to-morrow (Tuesday), July 1st, from Laurel Bank to Ince Blundell. R.I.P.

HARVEY—June 29, 1941, at her residence, Bargy Castle, Co. Wexford, Mary, widow of the late John M. Harvey, daughter of the late W. F. Littledale, of Whaley Abbey, Co. Wicklow. Deeply regretted. Funeral (private) to Ishartmon Churchyard to-morrow (Tuesday), 1st July, at 11.30 a.m. (S.T.).

HAYDEN—June 29, 1941, at St. Joseph's, Tivoli road, Dun Laoghaire, Miss Brigid Hayden. Deeply regretted. R.I.P.

HIGGINS—June 28, 1941, at Sunbrae Blackstoops, Enniscorthy, Mary, beloved wife of Howard R. Higgins. Funeral to-day (Monday), leaving at 2.30 p.m. (S.T.) for St. Mary's Church, thence to Moyne Cemetery. No mourning, by request.

KIRWAN—June 28, 1941, at 2 Haddington terrace, Dun Laoghaire, Mrs. Elizabeth Kirwan, mother of Captain Michael Kirwan, I.M.S. Deeply regretted. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Tuesday) from St. Michael's Church, Dun Laoghaire, to Glasnevin Cemetery. Our Lady of Dolours, pray for her.

LOWE—June 25, 1941, at Martin Hospital, Portlaw, John E. Lowe. Deeply regretted by loving wife and family. "Peace, perfect peace."

McCULLAGH—June 29, 1941, at The Lodge, Blackcastle, Navan, John McCullagh. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing family. Funeral to St. Mary's Church, Navan, at 2 o'clock to-morrow (Tuesday).

McMAHON—June 28, 1941, Muriel Woodrofe, widow of H. R. McMahon, and darling youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Calvert, Oaklands Park, Ballsbridge. Funeral today (Monday), 12 o'clock, at Mount Jerome. "Perfect peace."

PIKE—June 26, 1941, at Lincoln, Major-General Sir William Watson Pike, K.C.M.G., D.S.O., F.R.C.S.I., R.A.M.C., aged 81, second son of the late William Pike, J.P., of Glendarary, Achill Sound, Co. Mayo.

WHELAN—June 29, 1941, at his residence, "Ivanhoe," 56 Ramleh Park, Milltown, William, dearly-beloved elder son of William and the late Molly Whelan. R.I.P. Deeply regretted by his father, brother and sisters. Remains will be removed at 6.30 o'clock this (Monday) evening to the Church of the Assumption, Milltown. Requiem Mass to-morrow (Tuesday) at 8 a.m. Funeral at 10.30 a.m. to Dean's Grange.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 4.

IN MEMORIAM.

KELLY—Ninth Anniversary—In affectionate and loving remembrance of my dearly-beloved husband, John, who died, June 30th, 1932, late of 27 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. R.I.P. Masses offered.—Aggie.

KELLY—Ninth Anniversary — In remembrance of my brother, John, who died, June 30th, 1932. R.I.P.—Dene.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

ENGLISH SEWING COTTON COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Register of Ordinary Stock will be closed from 1st to 15th July, inclusive, for the preparation of dividend payable 1st August.
C. J. HOWELL, Secretary.

DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS BOARD.
LYING UP DUES.

Notice is hereby given that on and from the 1st July, 1941, the tonnage rate on vessels remaining or lying in the Port of Dublin for a longer consecutive period than six weeks will be increased from 1d. to 1½d. per ton per week.

By Order.
R. F. LOWE, Secretary.
19 Westmoreland street, Dublin,
30th June, 1941.

NOTICE OF MARRIAGE.

To Arthur L. Agnew, Registrar of Marriages for the District of Dublin.

I, the undersigned, hereby give you Notice that a Marriage is intended to be had by Licence within three calendar months from the date hereof between me and the other person named and described (that is to say):—Hyman Atkins, Bachelor, Dealer, and Mary Gibbs, Spinster, both persons being of full age and residing for the last month past at 112 Clonliffe avenue, Ballybough, the former person not having attended any place of Public Worship in the Dublin District during the last month past.

Building in which the Marriage is to be solemnized:—Registrar's Office, 23 Wellington Quay, Dublin.

Witness my hand this 16th day of June, 1941.

HYMAN ATKINS.

CONTRACTS.

BORD SLAINTE AGUS CONGANTA FUILIDHE.
CONTAE LOCH GARMAN.
TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS

Tenders are invited from competent contractors for the erection and completion of a new Dispensary Residence at Killenagh and Wells, County Wexford, in accordance with the designs, drawings, specification, etc., prepared by R. Donnelly, L.R.I.B.A., M.R.I.A.I., Architect, 23 and 64 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin. Copies of the plan and specification may be obtained at the offices of the undersigned or at the office of the Architect as above, on the deposit of £4 4/-, which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide estimate, together with copies of plan and specification in good condition.

All estimates must be in sealed envelopes, endorsed "Estimates for Dispensary Residence," and must be accompanied, in a separate sealed envelope, with the contractor's Priced Bill of Quantities on which the estimate is made up. Estimates and priced bill to be addressed to the undersigned.

Contractors must give in their estimates the name of an approved Insurance Company who is prepared to enter into bonds as surety for and the due and proper carrying out of the work by the contractor, and the contractor is to provide for paying all legal costs and fees in connection with the drawing up of the Contract Agreement and Surety Bonds.

Contractors to note that conditions of employment, working hours, rates of pay, etc., shall be in accordance with the Local Trades Union conditions. No tender submitted which does not comply in every respect (1) with the general Conditions of Contract in the specification, and (2) with the above noted conditions, will be accepted. All estimates must be submitted free of charge. The lowest or any estimate will not necessarily be accepted, and an acceptance of any estimate by the Board will be subject to the sanction of the Department of Local Government.

All estimates and priced Bill of Quantities must be delivered at my office on or before 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, August 2nd, 1941.

Fe ordu an Bhuird.
TOMAS D. O'SIONOID,
Runaidhe
Halla na Conndae, Loch Garman.
27/6/'41.

CORK CORPORATION.
TO PRINTERS.

Tenders are invited for the Printing of 100, 200, 300 or 1,000 copies of the Cork Town-Planning Report, in accordance with the typescript, which may be seen at the Town Clerk's Office, City Hall, Cork, or at the Office of Mr. Manning Robertson, M.R.I.A.I., 10 Raglan road, Dublin.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Printing of Town-Planning Report," will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Friday, 11th proximo.

The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

C. HARRINGTON,
Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, City Hall,
Cork, 26th June, 1941.

LEGAL NOTICES.

RE THE ESTATE OF MRS. MARGARET ANNA MARSHALL, Deceased.

PURSUANT TO THE TRUSTEE ACT, 1925, Section Twenty-seven.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mrs. Margaret Anna Marshall, late of 8 Hamilton terrace, Marylebone, in the County of London, N.W.8, who died on the 19th day of March, 1941, and whose Will was proved at the Principal Probate Registry on the 20th day of June, 1941, by Horace Cecil Marshall, of 4 Clare road, Cambridge, Esquire, and Thomas Humphrey Marshall, of The Dog and Gun, Long Crendon, in the County of Buckingham, Esquire, the Executors named in the said Will, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said Executors, on or before the 15th day of September, 1941, after which date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof so distributed to any persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 24th day of June, 1941.

PARK NELSON and CO., 11 Essex street, Strand, London, W.C.2, Solicitor to the said Executors.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS.

In the Goods of
WILLIAM SMYTH, late of "Windsor," 11 Parade, Donaghadee, in the County of Down, and formerly of St. Andrews, Castle avenue, Clontarf, Dublin, Gentleman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the said William Smyth, who died on the 26th day of August, 1940, and, by his Will bearing date the 9th day of August, 1935, bequeathed all his real and personal estate to his Trustees, upon Trust, to pay the income as therein mentioned, and, after the death of the person therein named, Testator bequeathed, amongst other legacies, the following Charitable bequests:—

To the Adelaide Hospital, Dublin	£100
To the City of Dublin Hospital, Baggot street, Dublin	£100

Probate of the said Will was, on the 16th day of June, 1941, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice in Eire, to Thomas C. G. Mackintosh, of High street, Newtownards, in the County of Down, Solicitor, one of the Executors named in the said Will.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1941.

WM. SMITH and SON, Solicitors for said Executor, 29 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and all other persons whom it may concern.

STOCK EXCHANGE FEATURES

BRITISH RAILWAY STOCKS

FROM OUR LONDON FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

A distinctly optimistic mood prevailed on the Stock Exchange in the closing days of last week. Members were heartened by the present war situation. After some hesitancy, the upward movement in the Funds was resumed, this section being helped by the persistent rumour that the Government will shortly offer a new loan. The firmness was mainly in the long-dated issues, and Conversion 3½ per cent., 2½ per cent. Consols and Local Loans reached new high levels since 1937. One outcome of the Russo-German conflict was speculative buying of Chinese and Japanese Government Bonds, the prices of which rose sharply because of a belief that the Japanese Government may reconsider its attitude towards the Axis. Leading Home Industrials were firm, but the buying was selective, and mostly confined to shares of companies with good dividend and financial records.

Oil Shares responded to the war news, especially those known as the "Mediterranean" issues—Anglo-Iranian, Shell and Burmah.

The continuance of the present strength of markets mainly depends upon the continuation of favourable reports. Any important success by the Germans would probably adversely affect markets, although, in view of the large amounts of surplus funds awaiting investment, it is doubtful if there would be any considerable setback in Gilt-edged prices.

RUSSIAN BONDS

Recent events provide a reminder of the heavy loss suffered by holders of Russian Government, municipal and other securities as a result of the Revolution which ended Tzarism. Since then there have been occasional spasms of apparent activity in the Bonds at prices that represented no more than option money, for a bond of £100 nominal was not readily saleable at a few shillings. With the advent of the Soviet Union debts were repudiated and few people are sanguine enough to think that holders will ever get back their money. The German attack on the country led to a little business in one or two of the Government and Municipal issues, but there was little sign even of a speculative demand for them. The best that can be said is that the latest development gives holders some chance of getting rid of a few bonds for which there has been no real market for years past. Quotations of the Government, Municipal and Railway Bonds were removed from the daily official list some time ago.

It is satisfactory that the recovery in Home Rails has been held. This is natural; for there is no weakening of the belief to which reference was made on a previous occasion that any new arrangement between the companies and the Government will provide for sufficient net revenue to pay the same dividends as for 1940.

If it were not for the almost steady growth of working expenses, and the necessity for insuring against war damage, earnings should permit of considerably bigger distributions. Indeed, it has been said that, on the basis of the amount of business handled, the railways of this country should now be earning the standard revenue laid down by the Act of 1921. Such revenue, of course, would permit of much bigger dividends on the Ordinary stocks than have since been paid.

INTERIM PAYMENTS

Meanwhile, some interest is evident regarding the interim dividend announcement to be made on July 25. Market opinion is that the Great Western will again declare 1½ per cent. on its Ordinary stock; that the full rates will be forthcoming on L.M.S. 4 per cent. 1923 Preference; L.N.E. 4 per cent. Preference, and 5 per cent. Redeemable issue, and Southern Preferred Ordinary. The payments of 1½ per cent. on L.M.S. Ord. and of 1½ per cent. on Southern Defd. in respect of 1940 were made after the end of the year. A consideration of all the circumstances strengthens the conviction that an investor could come to little harm by making a purchase of L.M.S. 4 per cent. First Preference, the two London and North-Eastern 4 per cent. Guaranteed stocks, and the latter company's 4 per cent. First Preference. At recent prices the yields from these range from 4½ to 5¼ per cent., the smaller figure relating to L.N.E. 4 per cent. Guaranteed and the larger to the 4 per cent. First Preference. The return on "Berwick" 4 per cent. Second Guaranteed is about 5½ per cent., while 6½ per cent. can be expected from L.M.S. 4 per cent. First Preference.

Another attractive stock is Southern Préfd. Ord., upon which the prospective return is fully 7½ per cent., without allowing for a half-year's dividend in the price. A relatively big nominal holding could be obtained by purchasing L.M.S. Ord.; for £1,000 of stock would cost about £135, and a continuance of the dividend paid for 1940 would give the buyer a return of over 11 per cent. on the money.

A CONTRAST

Holders of English Railway stocks scarcely need to be reminded that their interests have suffered very considerably since the great amalgamation movement a good many years ago, but the experience of English Railways has been less unfavourable than that of many British-owned companies operating abroad.

The misfortunes of the Argentine undertakings are epitomised in the fact that one of the leading ones, Buenos Ayres Western, has been compelled to propose a moratorium in respect of its 4 p.c. and 5 p.c. Debenture stocks, as well as the 5 p.c. Secured Notes. Interest is to be postponed for a period of years, with power to extend the time, subject to the approval of the stockholders.

The large amount of capital invested in South American Railway stocks is seriously depreciated, and part may be regarded as lost. Adversity has not been restricted to Argentine companies, for the Brazilian Railways, in which much British capital has been sunk, are earning very little, and the railways of Uruguay and Chile have also experienced adversity. In Canada the depressing history of the Grand Trunk Railway is not entirely forgotten, and for many years now no dividend has been paid on Canadian Pacific Ord. stock, whereas in the past holders received 10 p.c. for many years running. Of the various British-owned railways abroad, perhaps the best record is held by the Indian companies, but, in this case, the investment has had its unfavourable point in the power held by the Secretary of State for India to acquire the undertakings.

Reverting to Argentine Rails, a bright spot last week was some improvement in various Preference and Debenture stocks because of the publication of a batch of favourable weekly traffic returns.

COMPANY NEWS

Anglo-Portuguese Telephone.—Net profit at £84,882 is £3,029 higher than in 1939, and after paying the usual dividends on the Ord. and "A" Ord. shares the carry forward is increased to £37,087 (against £35,358).

Booth's Distilleries, which is controlled by Distillers Company, announces gross profits on trading, dividends on investments and sundry receipts in the year ended 31st March of £609,990, as against £599,060. Taxation charge is £59,421 up at £139,421. Net balance is £89,323 (£88,157). Dividends amount to £41,898 (£48,943), leaving a balance of £47,425, plus credit from last account £36,562, making £37,238 to be carried forward. The Ordinary rate was again 4 per cent., less tax.

British Plaster Board.—Consolidated profits, before providing for N.D.C., income tax and directors' fees, amounted to £563,304 in the year ended March 31 last. This is an increase of £48,716 on the previous year. Profits of the parent company in the same period totalled £471,004, compared with £467,201. The Ordinary dividend for the year is 15 per cent. Although this compares with 30 per cent. in the previous year, the present payment is on capital increased by last year's capital bonus of 100 per cent.

W. J. Brookes and Sons, the Manchester bakers, flour dealers, etc., announces a first and final dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, against 6 per cent. Net profit, £25,251 (against £20,861).

Brooks Wharf and Bull Wharf.—No dividend will be paid on the 7 p.c. Pref. for the half-year to 30th June, 1941. A like decision was made in respect of the preceding half-year.

Pater Brotherhood has declared a final dividend of 12 p.c. on Ord., making 20 p.c. for the year (same).

Carter and Co. have decided to defer consideration of dividends on the 1st and 2nd Pref., due 1st July, until the full year's accounts are before them.

Colonese Corporation of America.—Earnings for April and May, the first two months of the second quarter of 1941, after all charges and taxes, except excess profits taxes, are estimated at $2,140,000, as compared to $1,587,754 for the full three months of the first quarter of this year.

Cerebos.—Although a rise in profit of £100,000 is shown, bringing the net profit for 1940, taxation at £427,500, against £258,000 in 1939, brings the net profit figure down to £244,890—or £78,487 lower than the previous year.

Covent Garden Properties Company are unable to pay the dividends upon the 7 p.c. Cumulative Pref. and 8 p.c. Cumulative Preferred-Ord. for the year ending 30th June, 1941.

Elder Dempster Lines. — Net profit £217,520 (against £206,717), and the Ord. dividend is raised from 9 p.c. to 10 p.c., while £75,000 is carried to reserve. Balance forward is up by, roundly, £10,000 at £255,598.

English Sewing Cotton Company have declared a final dividend of 2½ per cent. on the £2,000,000 Ordinary Stock, again making 7½ per cent. for the year. Net profit is returned at £205,812. This compares with £214,329. The pension fund receives £5,000 (against £10,000), and a balance of £120,674 is carried forward, compared with £119,862 brought in. The register of Ordinary Stock will be closed from 1st to 15th July inclusive.

Handleys, Drapers, etc., controlled by Bobby and Co. (a Debenhams subsidiary)—No dividend will be paid on the £125,000 7 p.c. Cumulative Pref. for the half-year.

International Tea Stores.—Declaration of the 4¼ p.c. Cumulative "B" Pref. dividend for the half-year ending 30th June, 1941, postponed. Directors state that the profit to cover this dividend has been earned and the necessary funds are available.

Lovell and Christmas.—Dividend of 6 p.c. on Ord. (same).

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FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

CARLISLE.—The Irish cattle market continues closed owing to the importation of cattle from Ireland having been stopped on account of foot-and-mouth disease.

DONCASTER.—A fair show. Good demand. Dairy stock cows to £80, calving heifers to £40, three-year-old bullocks £35, two-and-a-half years £27, 18 months £20, sucking pigs to 30/-, stores 70/-, in-pigs £13.

NORWICH.—A small number of English store beasts in the open market made fair prices, and 150 good quality beasts at auction sold from £28 to £30 a head. There was a fair supply of fat animals at the certification centre. Total supplies were 425 cattle, 60 sheep, and 220 pigs.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE. — Cauliflowers continue scarce and dear. Other classes in moderate supply and finished strong at:—York cabbage, large 18/- to 90/-, small 20/- to 36/- per load; cauliflowers 10/-, seconds 5/-; lettuce 6d. to 1/- per doz.; rhubarb 5/6 to 2/6 per cwt.; spring onions, bundles, scallions 1/- to 4/6 per bunch; parsley 6d. to 1/-, peas 7/-, gooseberries 5/- to 6/- per chip; tomatoes 1/6 to 1/10 per lb., and strawberries 1/6 to 2/- per chip.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Old crop. Small supply, with sales fair at:—Tipperary dates 8/6, Kerr's pinks 8/-, and mixed whites 6/6 per cwt. New crop offering more freely and satisfactorily placed at:—Queens 20/-, and epicures 20/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH.—On offer 124 packages salmon, 8 boxes lobsters and a sprinkling from country and local senders. Demand fair at:—Salmon 1/9 to 2/6, grilse 1/4 to 1/8, trout 1/- to 2/6, soles 2/- to 3/- per lb., lobsters 9/- to 30/- per 15, ray 2½/- to 3½/-, hake 3½/- to 4½/-, and whiting 2½/- to 3½/- per box.

COMPANY NEWS

Angio-Portuguese Telephone.—Net profit at £84,882 is £3,029 higher than in 1939, and after paying the usual dividends on the Ord. and "A" Ord. shares the carry forward is increased to £37,087 (against £35,358).

Booth's Distilleries, which is controlled by Distillers Company, announces gross profits on trading, dividends on investments and sundry receipts in the year ended 31st March of £609,990, as against £599,060. Taxation charge is £59,421 up at £139,421. Net balance is £89,323 (£88,157). Dividends amount to £41,898 (£48,943), leaving a balance of £47,425, plus credit from last account £36,562, making £37,238 to be carried forward. The Ordinary rate was again 4 per cent., less tax.

British Plaster Board.—Consolidated profits, before providing for N.D.C., income tax and directors' fees, amounted to £563,304 in the year ended March 31 last. This is an increase of £48,716 on the previous year. Profits of the parent company in the same period totalled £471,004, compared with £467,201. The Ordinary dividend for the year is 15 per cent. Although this compares with 30 per cent. in the previous year, the present payment is on capital increased by last year's capital bonus of 100 per cent.

W. J. Brookes and Sons, the Manchester bakers, flour dealers, etc., announces a first and final dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, against 6 per cent. Net profit, £25,251 (against £20,861).

Brooks Wharf and Bull Wharf.—No dividend will be paid on the 7 p.c. Pref. for the half-year to 30th June, 1941. A like decision was made in respect of the preceding half-year.

Pater Brotherhood has declared a final dividend of 12 p.c. on Ord., making 20 p.c. for the year (same).

Carter and Co. have decided to defer consideration of dividends on the 1st and 2nd Pref., due 1st July, until the full year's accounts are before them.

Colonese Corporation of America.—Earnings for April and May, the first two months of the second quarter of 1941, after all charges and taxes, except excess profits taxes, are estimated at $2,140,000, as compared to $1,587,754 for the full three months of the first quarter of this year.

Cerebos.—Although a rise in profit of £100,000 is shown, bringing the net profit for 1940, taxation at £427,500, against £258,000 in 1939, brings the net profit figure down to £244,890—or £78,487 lower than the previous year.

Covent Garden Properties Company are unable to pay the dividends upon the 7 p.c. Cumulative Pref. and 8 p.c. Cumulative Preferred-Ord. for the year ending 30th June, 1941.

Elder Dempster Lines. — Net profit £217,520 (against £206,717), and the Ord. dividend is raised from 9 p.c. to 10 p.c., while £75,000 is carried to reserve. Balance forward is up by, roundly, £10,000 at £255,598.

English Sewing Cotton Company have declared a final dividend of 2½ per cent. on the £2,000,000 Ordinary Stock, again making 7½ per cent. for the year. Net profit is returned at £205,812. This compares with £214,329. The pension fund receives £5,000 (against £10,000), and a balance of £120,674 is carried forward, compared with £119,862 brought in. The register of Ordinary Stock will be closed from 1st to 15th July inclusive.

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MANCHESTER PROVISIONS

BUTTER IN DEMAND; EGGS SCARCE

Although there has been little change in the supply position generally, an active business has been passing in all departments on the Manchester provision trade.

There is no falling off in demand for bacon. Slight price changes came into force on June 23rd owing to forthcoming arrivals from the United States as follows: Fore-ends and square shoulders without blade bone 105/-, middles 125/-, and these cuts with blade bones 5/- less, picnics 80/- per cwt.

Demand for butter has been stimulated by the fact that this is the last week of the four oz. ration, and the new decreased fortnightly issue is being well taken up. There will, however, be a corresponding increase in the margarine allowance. The ration for the next distribution of cheese has been doubled owing to heavy supplies of home-produced cheese, and comes into force from June 30th.

There is still a scarcity of both home-produced and imported eggs, and the position remains very firm. The schedule of prices for the new distribution scheme to operate from to-day (Monday) is as follows:—Maximum prices for category 1 on sales to retailer 22/6, and category 2 20/- per 120. Category 1 includes home-produced fresh eggs in "A" and "B" grades together with imported and preserved of 15lb. and over, per 120. Category 2 will include home-produced "C" and "D" grades, also imported and preserved less than 15lb. Retail prices for category 1 are 2/6, and category 2 2/3 per dozen.

Fair arrivals of salmon are in demand, and Irish sells steadily at the reasonable prices now ruling, best quality making 3/6 to 4/-, and grilse 3/- to 3/3 per lb. (wholesale).

LONDON HIDES AND LEATHER

The domestic hide position remained unchanged, there being a keen demand for available supplies, which cleared readily at the controlled rates.

There was no lull in the demand for sole leather suitable for civilian footwear, but the feature of the past week was the sharp expansion in the call for repairing bends following the rationing of boots and shoes. A good deal of congestion now prevails in the repair shops, and a wait of a fortnight for the completion of repairs is experienced in many districts. Adequate supplies of bends have been forthcoming for Service footwear. Offal was in active request, there being an especially keen inquiry for rough offal. During the past week the shortage of upper leather has been more pronounced, and the new Control Order came as no surprise.

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R. O'Rafferty winning the high jump at Donore Harriers Sports. He cleared 6ft. 1in.

Dundalk Races

Ardenode Wins Again

A CURTAILED transport service notwithstanding, there was a splendid attendance at Dundalk on Saturday, a fact reflected in the totalisator takings of £1,723, the biggest aggregate ever received at this course. It is not often that an amateur riders' race is the chief event on a card, but it was so on this occasion the Dundalk Plate being the most valuable of the six races. Mrs. K. Dodd's Ardenode, who had won two similar races recently was always a pronounced favourite, and again ridden by the owner's son, Mr. G. P. Dodd, the well-bred gelding made short work of the opposition, going into the lead half a mile from home to win as he liked. Ardenode is by Ut Majeur, out of Rose of Jericho, the dam of Rose of Portugal, an outstanding two years old in 1938.

Mr. J. F. Banahan, who has a limited number of horses under his care, won with two of his charges. Mr. J. P. McAuley's Westlands winning the Kilkerley Hurdle and Mr. E. Malone's Knight's Ward the Chairmassi Plate, and M. Gordon was the rider of each. Westlands was not so well supported as Burnished Gold, who led for a good portion of the journey, but was well beaten before the straight was reached, and Westlands won with a good bit in hand. It was not so with Knight's Ward, who after taking the lead in the straight was challenged and headed by Legislation, but putting in a good finishing effort, got his head again to score by a head. Legislation was, perhaps, somewhat unlucky to lose as he could not get an opening until the straight was reached, and then had to make up an amount of ground.

There was a fine finish for the Anagassan Hurdle, in which Mrs. T. N. Atkinson's Charon triumphed over Ballyboe and Pocket Money. The fact that J. Brogan, on the winner, had first run on the other two and kept driving his mount along vigorously all the time had not a little to say to the horse's success.

No mistake was made by backers in laying odds on Colehill for the Cooley Plate, but he had to be ridden hard to shake off Cooleragh in the closing stages. Five of the nine runners for the Ardee Chase were well fancied, Phantom III. being in most request. He ran in disappointing style, and after Royal Gold had looked like a certain winner he was caught and beaten by Tomlin. Details:—

3.45—**KILKERLEY HURDLE**, £50. 2½ m.

Westlands, b g, by Felstead—Orangeade (Mr. J. P. McAuley), 4, 10-0 ..... M. Gordon 1

Mairetol 4, 10-4 ..... J. Maloney 2

Burnished Gold, 5, 11-0 ...J. Fitzgerald 3

Also ran—Maid of Aran, 6, 10-2 (J. C. Mooney); Brother Bachelor 5, 10-6 (D. L. Moore); Golden Court, 6, 10-6 (C. Smirke); Tafoisagana, 6, 10-6 (P. O'Loughlin); Lealty, 4, 9-9 (P. Timmins); Buganda, 4, 10-0 (A. Brabazon). (Winner trained by J. F. Banahan).

Betting—Exens Burnished Gold, 3 to 1 agst. WESTLANDS 4 to 1 Brother Bachelor, 6 to 1 Mairetol, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 7/6; places, 2/6, 3/-, 2/6.

4½ neck. Brother Bachelor 4. Tafoisagana 6.

4.15—**ANNAGASSAN HURDLE**, £50. 14m.

Charon, ch. g., by La Brige—Eydallas (Mrs. T. N. Atkinson), a, 10-6 ..... J. Brogan 1

Ballyboe, 5, 10-7 ..... J. Moloney 2

Pocket Money, 6, 9-11 ..... P. Doherty 3

Also ran—Fly-by-Night, a, 11-6 (J. Tiernan); Bandinelli, 5, 11-10 (D. L. Moore), Cute John, 6, 11-5 (E. J. Kennedy); Never No More, 5, 11-0 (E. Dempsey); Kilfeakle, a, 10-1 (R. Browne), Gloucester, 5, 10-0 (D. Ruttle); Glenkieran, 5, 10-4 (M. Gordon); Silver Fizz, a, 10-2 (T. McNeill); Dandy Lee, 5, 10-1 (W. T. O'Grady); Blow Soft, 5, 9-2 (P. Sherry) (Winner trained by M. Arnott).

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. Fly-by-Night and Ballyboe, 5 to 1 each CHARON, Dandy Lee and Pocket Money, 10 to 1 any other. **Tote**—Win, 24/-; places, 8/6, 4/6, 4/6.

4½l.; 14l. Never No More 4. Kilfeakle 5, Glenkieran 6. Fly-by-Night fell.

4.45—**COOLEY CHASE**, £75. 2 m. 200 yds.

Colehill, br. g., by Marcus Friar—Donna Maria (Miss P. O'Leary), 6, 11-3 ..... D. L. Moore 1

Cooleragh, a, 11-3 ..... T. McNeill 2

Pretty Useful, 5, 11-0 ..... J. Brogan 3

Also ran—Just Reward, 6, 10-12 (P. Timmins); Brown Sam, 6, 11-3 (J. Moloney); Golden Knox, a, 11-3 (Mr. J. Short); Celtel, 5, 11-0 (V. Mooney); My Cherry, 4, 10-6 (E. Dempsey). (Winner trained by R. H. Walker.)

Betting—5 to 4 on COLEHILL, 4 to 1 each agst. Just Reward and Pretty Useful, 20 to 1 any other. **Tote**—Win: 3/6. Places: 2/6, 4/6, 2/6.

5.15—**DUNDALK HANDICAP** (Flat), 11m. **Ardenode**, ch. g., by Ut Majeur—Rose of Jericho, 4, 11-2 ...Mr. G. P. Dodd 1

Bill Bailey, 6, 11-6 Mr. G. V. Malcolmson 2

Bluster, 5, 11-4 ..... Mr. J. R. Cox 3

Also ran—Manor Flat, a, 12-4 (Mr. W. Willis), Wild Wheat, 4, 11-4 (Mr. A. Turner); Prospect Lad, 6, 10-11 (Mr. F. Fitzsimons); Bistro, a, 11-1 (Mr. P. J. Lenihan); Bibs, 4, 10-12 (Mr. T. Nugent); Apios, 4, 10-8 (Mr. P. Sleator); Romany, 5, 10-6 (Owner); Resorcine, a, 10-5 (Mr. W. J. Purcell). (Winner trained by T. O'Sullivan.)

Betting—6 to 4 on ARDENODE, 5 to 1 agst. Apios, 6 to 1 each Bill Bailey, Manor Flat and Bistro, 10 to 1 Bluster, 20 to 1 any other. **Tote**—Win: 5/-. Places: 2/6, 3/6, 3/-.

6 l.; 3 l. Bibs 4. Bistro 5, Manor Flat 6.

5.45—**ARDEE HANDICAP 'CHASE**, £75. 2m. 200 yds.

Tomlin, ch. g. by Buchan—Corrie (Mrs. J. Hughes), a, 9-13 .....T. McNeill 1

Royal Gold, a, 9-7 ..... J. Brogan 2

Pantry, a, 10-6 ..... D. L. Moore 3

Also ran—Phantom III., a, 11-12 (A. Brabazon); Septenibar, a, 11-6 (J. Moloney); Solide, a, 10-6 (Mr. F. Fitzsimons); Crickstown, a, 10-7 (Mr. J. Woods); Belgrade, 6, 10-0 (J. Fitzgerald); Vesuvian, a, 9-13 (V. Mooney). (Winner trained by H. O'Neill.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Phantom III., 5 to 2 Pantry, 4 to 1 Royal Gold, 6 to 1 each TOMLIN and Solide, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 29/-; places, 6/-, 5/6, 5/6.

21.; 21l. Belgrade 4, Vesuvian 5, Phantom III. 6.

6.10—**CLANBRASSIL PLATE**, £50. 1 m.

Knight's Ward, ch. f. by Knight of the Garter—Clonsilla Lass (Mr. E. Malone), 4, 9-7 .....M. Gordon 1

Legislation, 3, 8-7 .....E. M. Quirke 2

Word of Honour, 5, 9-7 .....G. Wells 3

Also ran—Refrigerator, 4, 9-0 (J. Patman), Castlemaine, 4, 9-0 (H. Holmes); Williamstown Prince, 5, 9-0 (J. Yorke); Latra Lad, 6, 9-0, car 9-3 (P. O'Loughlin); Lana, 3, 9-0 (A. Brabazon); Peninsula, 3, 8-7 (J. Power); French Abbot, 5, 8-9 (W. Barrett); Brum, 5, 8-7 (John Doyle); Rom, 3, 8-7 (W. Howard); Miss Albany, 3, 8-7 (Joe Canty). (Winner trained by J. F. Banahan.)

Betting—5 to 2 each agst. Legislation and French Abbot, 3 to 1 Miss Albany, 5 to 1 Word of Honour, 6 to 1 KNIGHT'S WARD, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 22/-; places, 5/-, 3/6, 3/6.

Head; 1½l. Peninsula 4, Miss Albany 5, French Abbot 6.

TOTE DOUBLE—Ardenode and Tomlin. Dividend, £22 14/-. Nine winning tickets. Pool, £227. Day's pool, £1,723 4/—a new record for a Dundalk meeting.

Metropolitan Regatta

THE outstanding feature of the concluding day of the Dublin Metropolitan Regatta at Islandbridge was the dead heat in the final of the Pembroke Cup (senior Eights) between Dublin University and University College. Dublin University were a canvas behind until nearing the enclosure. Here they made their effort, and gradually crept on to their opponents. In the toss-off Dublin University won by three-quarters of a length.

Although defeated in the two principal senior events, University College captured the second senior fours, maiden eights, maiden fours, under-age fours, and the senior sculling championship of Ireland, which was won by R. G. Hickey. Dublin University won the junior sculls, and the Metropolitan Challenge Cup for Schools' fours was won, for the second year in succession, by Rockwell College. Results:—

Pembroke Cup (Senior Eights), final—Dublin University beat U.C.D. by three-quarters of a length, after a dead heat, in 6 mins. 30 secs. Dead heat time 6 mins. 25 secs.

Grand Challenge Cup (Senior Fours), final—Dublin University beat Shannon by a length in 7 mins.

Subscribers' Cup (Second Senior Fours), Heat F—U.C.D. beat Dublin University by 1½l. in 7 mins. 11 secs. Heat G—Neptune beat Queens by 1½l. in 7 mins. 34 secs. Final—U.C.D. beat Neptune by 2l. in 7 mins. 30 secs.

Craig Cup (Junior Eights), final—Neptune beat Dublin University by a canvas in 6 mins. 27 secs.

Liffey Cup (Junior Fours), final—Neptune beat Dublin University by 1l. in 7 mins. 2 secs.

Visitors' Cup (Maiden Eights), final—U.C.D. beat Commercial by 1½l. in 7 mins. 3 secs.

Civic Cup (Maiden Fours), final—U.C.D. beat Dregheda by 2l.

Schools' Fours, final—Rockwell beat Belvedere by 1½l.

Senior Sculling Championship of Ireland. Heat B—L. D. Renouf (Cork) beat J. F. McDermott (Old Collegians) by 2l. in 8 mins. 2 secs. Final—R. G. Hickey (U.C.D.) beat Renouf by 2½l. in 8 mins. 2 secs.

Junior Sculls, final—A. B. Walsh (Dublin University) beat D. J. Hogan (U.C.D.) by 3l. in 8 mins. 11 secs.

Golf Club Notices

GRANGE.—Lady associates' prize, Class I.—I. Reade (4), 70; G. P. O'Shea (9), 71; R. W. Patterson (9), 72. Class II.—J. McIntyre (15), 69; C. A. McLennon (15), 69. Class III.—P. J. Fanning (20), 76; Ring—B. T. Coleman, 15.

SUTTON.—Mixed foursomes (in aid of St. Vincent De Paul Society, Baldoyle, Conference)—G. P. Firench and Miss M. Roche (4), 313; T. Fitzpatrick, junior, and Mrs. Fitzpatrick (11½), 324; E. and Mrs. Monahan (11½), 322; Putting—Mrs. McMullan. Saturday—Medals, strokes.

GREYSTONES.—The captain's (Mr. R. P. O'Neill) prize, qualified—G. S. Gamble (13), 69; W. Fitzgerald (10), 68; R. M. Watson (18), 68; C. H. West (4), 75 (tied prizes). Draw—West v. Gamble, Fitzgerald v. Anderson.

DUN AOGHAIRE.—Lady HolmPatrick Cup—Vic Connolly and J. P. Carroll, 8 up; Malone and T. J. Lynch, J. Ward and A. Browett, M. J. O'Hara and C. Sadler, 6 up; D. J. Purcell and W. Girvan, 5 up; E. F. Tuke and L. M. Fitzgerald, 5 up.

MALAHIDE.—Captain's (Mr. J. H. Wardlaw-Milne) prize, final—V. Bissett beat W. Hoskins, 2 and 1.

BRAY. Medals, Class I.—Dr. Mallen, 4 up; Class II.—D. P. Barclay, 1 down.

WOODBROOK.—Open mixed foursomes—S. W. Dunn (9) and Miss P. O'Riordan beat M. J. Gallagher (12), and Mrs. Byrne (17), all square (second on second). J. McAllister (7) and Miss C. O'Riordan (15), all square; B. Tormey (18) and Miss C. O'Neill (21), P. W. Murphy (18) and Miss Brophy (28), 1 down. Saturday—Evidence, 9 holes.

KILCRONEY.—Scratch Cup, qualified medal round—E. Glaserfield v. J. H. Waterhouse, E. O'Brien v. J. W. Lane, C. C. Callaghan v. S. Heatley, A. Dunne v. J. Sandell. Best gross—E. Glaserfield. Best net—J. Waterhouse. Ladies.—Mrs. Sullivan's prize—Mrs. S. Heatley, 3 up, Mrs. J. H. Lane, 2 up.

SKERRIES.—Club prizes, Class I.—F. A. Carroll (10), 66; F. R. Reilly (14), 68. Class II.—Nett (18), 68; W. Maguire (19), 69.

ELM PARK.—Vice-president's prize—J. Arnold, 37 points. Dr. M. Brady (16), 36; N. Hogan (16), 35; J. P. Mellon (5), 35.

RATHFARNHAM.—Medals — Class I.—W. H. Thrift (9) 1 down; W. Brooks (10), 1 down. G.K. Deane (10), 2 down. Class II.—L. Billington (13), all square; E. S. Carter (4), all square; H. R. Glover (12), 1 down. Class III.—E. Cochrane (24), 2 down; G. D. Whitehead (16), 3 down.

FOXROCK.—Veterans' Cup (presented by Mr. B. O'Reilly)—A. Hess (10), 1 up. W. J. Norman (17), 2 down. Club prize—J. Lyndsay (5), 4 up; A. F. Cooke (13), 3 up. Lady HolmPatrick Cup post poned from last Saturday to a later date.

NEWLANDS.—Open fourball—A. P. Connell (11) and W. J. Fagan (16), 10 up; E. Bond (9) and F. P. Driscoll (18) 9 up; D. Byrne (7) and J. Rutherford (16), 9 up; B. Murry (14) and J. Murphy (18), 7 up.

HOWTH. Ladies—Captain's (Mr. M. Hourihane) prize—Miss V. O'Sullivan (14), 142; Miss Keoghe (31), 143. Best gross—Mrs. Brien.

KILLINEY.—Fourball—R. Nelson (11) and W. H. Fryer (12), 69 points; G. Walker (3) and G. J. Young (10), 69; M. Duffs (10) and R. D. Gray (15), 72; J. Fitzpatrick (16) and E. Lynch (18), K. Burke (12) and W. P. Fay (13), 68.

MOTOR CYCLE TREASURER FOR ENGLAND

FROM OUR MOTORING CORRESPONDENT.

Mr. E. L. Gibson, hon treasurer of the Southern Centre, Motor Cycle Union of Ireland has left for England. Since the departure of Mr. J. J. O'Neill for Belfast and other parts of the North, a few months ago, Mr. Gibson has been acting as hon. secretary as well, and was the only Union official left in Dublin is Mr. A. Harrison, who, in addition to being president of the Southern Centre, is also secretary of the M.C.U.I. for the whole country.

With motor cycle sport at a standstill owing to the petrol shortage, the work of the Union takes very few hours in the year, but the departure of an enthusiast like "Chick" Gibson means a serious loss to the small band who are keeping things together "till the boys come home."

Old motoring men now in the Army who are stationed in Dublin are not as well represented as they might be at the various "get together" schemes. Lieutenants Maugen and Heron come along, George regularly and Roddy occasionally, while Lieutenant C. H. W. Manders joins the charmed circle for an hour or two each time he has leave from the South. The others would be welcomed if they cared to pay a visit.

If they want a date there will be a "Question Time," to be conducted by Athole Harrison on 9th July.

NEWBURY RESULTS

1.30—**MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE**—Massowa (evens), 1; Roman Flight (6/1), 2; Hellzapoppin (33/1), 3. 28 ran.

MARLBOROUGH HANDICAP—2.0. Pearl Rock (100/6), 1; Cholo (6/1), 2; King of Trumps II. (7/2), 3. 13 ran.

2.30—**VALE OF WHITE HORSE HUNT CUP**—Time Step (4/1), 1; Quartier-Maitre (7/2), 2; Rue de la Paix (7/1), 3. 11 ran.

3.0—**ROYAL STAKES**—Fairy Prince (7/1), 1; Bastille (100/7), 2; Morogoro (3 1 on), 3. 7 ran.

3.30—**NEWBURY STAKES**—Snipe Wood (9/1), 1; Roanoke (100/30), 2; Germaniacus (5/2), 3. 6 ran.

4.0—**METHERAVON C.Y.O. PLATE**—Rubina (5/2), 1; Carnation (13/2), 2; Long Cast (100/7) 3. 14 ran.

GAELIC RESULTS

Mullingar—M.H. Dublin 5-6. Westmeath 1-1. M.F.—Longford 7-8. Kildare 5-6. Tralee—J.F.—Kerry 2-5, Cork 1-8. M.F. —Kerry 7-5, Limerick nil.

Tuam—S.F.—Galway 0-10, Mayo 1-5. M.F.—Galway 1-9, Mayo 0-5.

Newcastle—M.F.—Antrim 1-7, Down 1-7. Dublin—S.F.—Parnells 1-8, Clan na Gael 1-6. Hurling — Eoghan Ruadh 9-5, Faughs 7-6.

IRISH SPORTSMEN ABROAD.

If you have a relative or friend living outside Ireland interested in Irish Racing, Golf, Cricket, Lawn Tennis, Yachting, Kennel, or sporting matters generally, he will appreciate a copy of "The Irish Field," which will be posted regularly each week to any address. Terms.—Year, 13/-; half-year, 6/6; quarter, 3/3 (postage included). Head Office—11 D'Olier street, Dublin.—(Advt.).

GYMKHANA

(Under the auspices of South County Dublin Hunt Club) will be held on

AUGUST 2nd, 1941

Particulars from Miss S. Meyers, Tennyson's Bath, Jarnham, or Liam O'Reilly, Mayfield, Rosbuck, Dundrum.

Athletics

Foreman's Good Race at Donore Sports

A FEATURE of Donore Harriers' athletic meeting at Glenmalure Park, Milltown, on Saturday was the splendidly-judged race which B. Foreman ran to win the two miles handicap; after C. Callan had looked all over a winner he was overhauled virtually on the tape by Foreman, who won by inches. Foreman also finished second in the mile and third in the half-mile.

L. N Horan completed a "double" by winning the javelin and 16lb. shot from scratch, and another good performance was that of R. O'Rafferty, who cleared 6ft. 1in. in the high jump. Details:—

100 Yards—D. Roche (City and Suburban) (10 yds.), 1; K. Curson (Donore) (9), 2; N. Taylor (City and Suburban) (8), 3. 15 ran. 1ft.; 1½ yds. Time—9 3-5 secs.

300 Yards—L. Carroll (Clonliffe) (28 yds.), 1; J. Thornberry (Donore) (24), 2; N. B. Taylor (City and Suburban) (26), 3. 17 ran. 5 yds.; inches. 30 3-5 secs.

880 Yards—J. Lockhart (City and Suburban) (65), 1; T. McManus (Donore) (70), 2; B. Foreman (Donore) (65), 3. 15 ran. 3 ft.; 1 yd. 1 min. 58 secs.

One Mile—W. Sherringham (Donore) (170), 1; B. Foreman (Donore) (150), 2; S. Banks (Donore) (160), 3. 12 ran. 15 yds.; 20 yds. 4 mins. 20 secs.

Two Miles—B. Foreman (Donore) (160), 1; C. Callan (Donore) (220), 2; W. Sherringham (Donore) (180), 3. 17 ran. Inches; 10 yds. 9 mins. 54 secs.

220 Yards (Boys)—S. Baird (Donore), 1; N. Davis (Donore), 2; R. O'Brien (Donore), 3. 2 yds.; 6 yds. 24 1-5 secs.

High Jump—R. O'Rafferty (Donore) (scr.), 6ft. 1in. 1; J. Keogh (Donore) (5ins.), 6ft., 2; L. Flood (Civil Service) (4½ins.), 5ft. 10½ins., 3. 4 competed.

Hop, Step and Jump—E. S. Murphy (Civil Service) (4ft.), 44ft., 1; J. N. Mulcahy (Dublin University) (4ft.), 42ft., 2; F. P. McNamara (Civil Service) (4ft.), 41ft. 3. 6 competed.

16lb. Shot—L. N. Horan (Hermes) (scr.), 46ft. 11ins., 1; J. Keogh (Donore) (6ft.), 39ft. 4½ins., 2; L. Flood (Civil Service) (8ft.), 39ft. 3in., 3. 5 competed.

Javelin—L. N Horan (Hermes) (scr.), 153ft. 10ins., 1; L. J. Robinson (Donore) (20 yds.), 138ft. 1in., 2; D. Coveney (Donore) (12ft.), 134ft 10½ins., 3. 8 competed.

One Mile Relay—Civil Service (J. Dempsey, J. Conway, C. Chambers, P. Murphy), 1; City and Suburban, 2; Donore Harriers 3. 5 competed. 5 yds.; 15 yds. 3 mins. 54 secs.

MASONIC SCHOOL

At the Masonic Orphan Boys' School sports on Saturday the prize for the best all-round performance was won by E. Regan. Other results:—

100 Yards (Governors' Sons, under 13)—W. Dawson. Girls, Senior—Olive Wilmot. Girls, under 14—Olive Wilmot. Governors' Daughters, 9 to 13—Sybil Hughes; under 9—Ann Frost.

School 100 Yards—Senior—E. Regan. Junior—G. King; under 12—J. Johnston.

220 Yards, Seniors—R. Dawson. Past Pupils—T. Hanna.

440 Yards, Senior—H. Risk. Junior—R. Cargill.

Half-Mile—J. Notley.

High Jump, Senior—H. Risk. Junior—A Snodgrass.

Long Jump, Senior—E. Regan. Junior—D Hannan.

Sack Race—M. Lyttle. Inter-Dormitory Relay—R. Cooke's team, Wheelbarrow Race —T. Finch. Siamese Race—S. Nerrie and T. Neill (consolation Race—S. Nelson. Special "Hard Luck" Prize—E. Diamond. Special Medals for Physical Drill, Senior —R. Cooke. Junior—R. Moran.

Handball Tournament, Senior — E. Regan's team. Junior—A. Turbitt's team. Throwing Cricket Ball—E. Regan.

Cooper Award for Comradeship and Sportsmanship—R. S. McLean.

Gerty Challenge Cup and Wrist Watch (best all-round performance)—E. Regan.

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE

Winners at St. Columba's College sports were:—

100 Yards—Senior—W. Walkey. Under 17—W. Vanston. Under 16—B. F. Farrington. Under 15—J. G. Buchanan.

220 Yards—Senior—W. Walkey. Under 17—W. Vanston. Under 15—J. G. Buchanan.

440 Yards—Senior—H. G. S. Medlicott. Under 17—W. Vanston. Under 16—B. F. Farrington. Under 15—W. D. McKee.

Half-Mile—Senior—H. G. S. Medlicott (2m. 9 1-5s.) (school record). Under 17—B. S. Telford. Under 16—L. H. V. Edgill.

One Mile—Senior—H. G. S. Medlicott.

High Jump—Senior—R. D. Moore. Under 17—J. Gwynn. Under 16—A. O. Goodbody. Under 15—W. D. McKee.

Long Jump—Senior—H. C. Anderson. Under 17—D. L. McO. Kelly. Under 16—J. G. Buchanan.

16lb. Shot—D. A. Wallace (36ft. 6ins.) (school record). 7lb. Shot—T. Cooper.

Discus—Senior—H. C. Anderson.

Javelin—W. H. Wright.

Relays—Senior—Stackallen House. Junior—Grange House.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE

There was a tie between J. McCaw and I. Stewart for the Senior Championship at the St. Andrew's College Sports on Saturday. M. Styles won the Junior Championship. Principal results:—

High Jump (Senior)—J. McCaw (4 ft. 11 ins.), 1; J. Wolfe (4ft. 10ins.), 2. Junior—P. Butler (4 ft. 11 ins.), 1; Styles (4 ft. 5 ins.), 2. Under 12—N. Keathland.

220 Yards Senior Handicap—J. McCaw, 1; R. Gunning 2. Junior Championship—H. Dean, 1; A. Wright, 2.

100 Yards Junior Championship—M. Styles, 1; P. Butler, 2. Senior—L. Stewart, 1; J. McCaw, 2.

Handicap—D. Harris.

Half-mile (Senior)—I. Stewart, 1; G. Joughin, 2.

Long Jump (Senior)—J. McCaw, 1; I. Stewart, 2. Junior—T. Butler, 1; M. Styles, 2.

120 Yards Senior Handicap—V. Heney, 1; K. Kavanagh, 2.

Mile—G. Joughin, 1; S. Williamson, 2.

440 Yards Senior Handicap—J. McCaw, 1; I. Stewart, 2. Junior—M. Styles, 1.

Inter-form Race—V and VI.

BROWNE AND NOLAN'S

There was a big attendance at Browne and Nolan's annual sports at Clonskeagh. Prize winners:—Men's 100 yards—W. Cox ran; girls' 100 yards—M. Gregory; girls under 14—M. Gregory; 75 yards under 14—A. Simmons; veterans' race, 100 yards (over 40)—P. Lawless; 220 yards interdepartmental relay—W. Curran's team (litho. dept.); Girls' relay—Finishing dept.; bicycle novelty race—P. Collins; musical chairs on bicycles (girls)—E. Keely; interdepartmental tug-o'-war—Travellers; sack race—P. McNamee; mile handicap—J. Cuddy. Other winners—P. McNamee and J. Campbell, B. Campbell and C. Gillen, and T. O'Connor.

AVOCA SCHOOL

At the Avoca School, Blackrock, Sports L. Andrews won the Senior 100 Yards, 220 Yards, 440 Yards, Half-mile and Long Jump. Other winners were:—J. Sullivan (High Jump) F. Bates (Junior 100 Yards, 220 Yards and Long Jump), C. Farrington (Junior High Jump), R. Brisco, D. Whiteman, J. Keane, W. Mathison, A. Watson, R. Crighton, T. Finch, G. Baker, D. Bradford and L. Bradford.

Cricket

Leinster Dominant in the League

THE League champions, Merrion, put themselves almost out of the running for the title this season by a batting collapse against Leinster at Anglesea road on Saturday, and they were defeated by eight wickets.

With the exception of D'Arcy, nobody made a stand against Boland and Burke. The latter has seldom figured prominently in the attack until this season, but he now gives every indication of developing into a valuable stock bowler. He kept one end going throughout the Merrion innings and by a steady length, seldom sending down a loose one, he got four for 26 in 16 overs. He and Boland, who worked up considerable pace, broke the back of the Merrion batting, and Murphy came on later to take three cheap wickets. Leinster got the runs without much difficulty. Burke was taken in the slips off Warren's first ball, but Connell and Lambert made victory certain, and Leinster now have a commanding lead in the competition.

PHŒNIX BACK TO FORM

To the discomfiture of Civil Service, the Phœnix batsmen came back to form on Saturday, and, on their own ground, won the Senior League match by 108 runs. The pitch was fast and true, and in a little over two hours Phœnix ran up a score of 212 for six wickets, when they closed their innings.

No fewer than seven men made substantial contributions, the best being J. M. Hanrahan's 57, which only occupied him an hour and a quarter in the making. He sacrificed none of his well-known safe and correct methods, but he got great power into his scoring shots, and wristy cutting was a feature of the effort.

Against a well-managed Phœnix attack, Civil Service never seemed likely to get the runs, and they were all out for 104. The total threatened to be much smaller, but late in the innings F. Leopold and W. Wolfe hit lustily for 23 and 14 respectively.

Pembroke defeated Y.M.C.A. at Claremont road by 38 runs. There was nothing particularly distinguished about the cricket, but Y.M.C.A. made a good effort to get the runs, and maintained the improved form which they have displayed lately.

The chief feature of the Pembroke innings was a splendid partnership in support of the second wicket between Erskine and T. Williams, which yielded 64. W. F. Aylward showed a welcome return to his old form, while S. F. Bergin, a youth of 15 years, batted well, and fielded excellently.

Colter, Peake and Beatty strove hard to put Y.M.C.A. in front, but the last wicket fell a few minutes before time. Murray and T. Williams captured the bowling honours, and shared the wickets between them.

NOTABLE BOWLING

There were two outstanding bowling performances at Castle avenue, where Dublin University, in a low scoring match, defeated Clontarf by 22 runs. J. Caprani, who came on as a last bowling change, took five of the Trinity wickets in five overs at a cost of two runs apiece, and S. Barnes, bowling unchanged for Trinity, secured nine wickets in twelve overs and four balls for 41 runs.

At one period Trinity looked like putting up a useful score, as L. C. Jacobson and L. H. Shrago added 68 for the third wicket, and the century was on the board before they were separated. On Caprani coming on, however, a collapse set in, and the last seven wickets only added 12 runs. Caprani, varying his flight, completely puzzled the batsmen, and he was assisted by some splendid work in the field.

MERRION V. LEINSTER

At Anglesea road. Leinster won by 8 wickets. Score:—

MERRION.

P. Waldron c. Cuffe b. Burke	6
W. Lindsay c.b.w. b. Burke	5
J. D. O'Connor b. Boland	14
S. Curley c. and b. Burke	3
C. J. Little c. Neville b. Boland	4
J. D'Arcy c. Law b. Murphy	21
J. A. O'Donnell c. Connell b. Burke	4
P. Warren c. Lambert b. Law	2
B. Cunningham not out	13
C. Mara c. Lambert b. Murphy	1
R. H. Shortt st. Cuffe b. Murphy	0
Extras	4
Total	76

Bowling—Boland, 2 for 31; Burke, 4 for 26; Law, 1 for 11; Murphy, 3 for 4.

LEINSTER.

F. G. Connell c. O'Connor b. Mara	26
M. D. Burke c. Little b. Warren	8
N. H. Lambert not out	31
P. Neville not out	4
Extras	8
Total (1 for 2)	77

Bowling—Mara, 1 for 42; Little, 0 for 10; Warren, 1 for 17.

PHŒNIX V. CIVIL SERVICE

At Phœnix Park. Phœnix won by 108 runs. Score:—

PHŒNIX.

D. R. Pigot b. McCallim	25
J. M. Hanrahan c. Fitzpatrick b. Leopold	57
F. M. Quinn l.b.w. b. Wolfe	23
J. C. Boucher l.b.w. b. Gaul	32
P. J. Quinn b. McCallim	5
O. V. O'Connell c. McCallim b. Fitzpatrick	20
R. H. Russell not out	17
B. V. Fox not out	16
Extras	17
Total (6 wkts.)	*212

*Innings declared closed.

Did not bat—K. Quinn, N. Fox, J. Byrne.

Bowling—Wolfe, 1 for 51; Gaul, 1 for 45; McCallim, 2 for 36; Fitzpatrick, 4 for 48; Leopold, 1 for 15.

CIVIL SERVICE.

L. C. Sweeney c. sub. b. Pigot	13
H. C. Nial c. Boucher b. F. Quinn	4
M. J. Fitzpatrick l.b.w. b. Pigot	12
V. J. Holloway b. Boucher	1
J. Gaul c. B. V. Fox b. Pigot	6
P. J. Osborne b. Boucher	5
H. Cannon c. F. Quinn b. K. Quinn	2
F. Leopold c. sub. b. N. Fox	23
P. Greene c. Hanrahan b. K. Quinn	6
W. Wolfe c. sub. b. N. Fox	14
W. McCallim not out	3
Extras	15
Total	104

Bowling—Pigot, 3 for 20; F. Quinn, 1 for 8; Boucher, 2 for 25; K. Quinn, 2 for 33; N. Fox, 2 for 5.

Y.M.C.A. V. PEMBROKE

At Claremont road. Pembroke won by 38 runs. Score:—

PEMBROKE.

A. G. Murray st. Lyons b. Hirst	2
T. C. Williams st. Lyons b. Peake	33
G. C. Erskine c Peake b. Gill	49
B. F. Bergin c J. Dobson b Gill	4
E. C. Smith c Peake b Forrall	18
W. F. Aylward b Hirst	35
S. F. Bergin c. Gill b V Dobson	11
J. P. Egan c Peake b Hirst	4
M. Miller b V. Dobson	4
S. G. Murphy run out	1
D. T. Murphy not out	1
Extras	6
Total	167

Bowling—Hirst, 3 for 27; V. Dobson, 2 for 42; Beatty, 0 for 23; Peake, 1 for 22; Gill, 2 for 34; Worrall, 1 for 13.

Y.M.C.A.

C. Colter l.b.w. b. Mondimione	39
G. A. Boate run out	7
R. L. Gill b. Murray	6
F. W. Hirst c Smith b. Murray	0
A. T. Beatty l.b.w. b. Williams	23
B. W. Peake c. D. Murphy b Murray	26
R. Lyons b. Murray	10
V. Dobson c Smith b Williams	3
J. Dobson b Murray	4
T. A. Worrall b Murray	1
J. H. Boate not out	0
Extras	10
Total	129

Bowling—Murray, 6 for 36; Williams, 4 for 52; S. Murphy, 0 for 7; D. Murphy, 0 for 12; Aylward, 0 for 13.

CLONTARF V. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY

At Castle Avenue. Trinity beat Clontarf by 22 runs. Score:—

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.

E. A. Carry b Hill	11
I. V. Luce l.b.w. b Hill	8
L. C. Jacobson c Furley b Caprani	47
L. H. Shrago c McMahon b Ruddle	36
S. Barnes b Caprani	0
A. C. Hobson c Furley b Caprani	0
W. H. McClelland c Bourke b Caprani	1
A. B. Morton st. Bourke b Ruddle	5
A. F. Luce c Clarke b Caprani	0
S. Fleming st. Bourke b Ruddle	0
P. St. G. Anderson not out	0
Extras	5
Total	113

Bowling—R. Furley, 0 for 16; J. W. Hill, 2 for 39; M. P. Ruddle, 3 for 29; L. B. McMahon 0 for 14; J. Caprani, 5 for 10.

CLONTARF.

P. J Bourke c Jacobson b McClelland	2
W. C. Clarke l.b.w. b Barnes	5
L. B. McMahon b Barnes	3
J. W. Hill c McClelland b Barnes	5
M. P. Ruddle c Shrago b Barnes	21
J. Caprani c and b Barnes	22
G. J. Morgan b Barnes	9
A. R. White b Barnes	17
D. Smith l.b.w. b Barnes	0
F. G. Smith c Fleming b Barnes	0
R. Furley not out	1
Extras	6
Total	91

Bowling—S. Barnes, 9 for 41; W. H. McClelland, 1 for 27; A. C. Hobson, 0 for 10; P. St. G. Anderson, 0 for 7.

TRINITY V. QUEEN'S

The following will represent Dublin University against Queen's University to-day and to-morrow in the College Park, starting at 11.30 each day:—L. H. Shrago (captain), J. V. Luce, E. A. Garry, L. C. Jacobson, W. J. Moynan, A. C. Hobson, W. H. McClelland, A. B. Morton, S. Fleming.

Golf

Confidence in Future at Portmarnock

WITH such loyalty as had been displayed during the last couple of months by the members of the club, he was fully confident that it would survive the existing crisis, grave though it was for all. He had been congratulated by a famous golfer from the other side on being captain of what his friend described as "one of the greatest golf clubs in the world, with a membership of most loyal golfers," and he had good reason for saying that the Portmarnock members were really the most loyal clubmen to be found anywhere. The response to the appeal of Professor Purcell and his committee was magnificent, the subscriptions amounting to close on £1,000. When a spirit of that kind existed, Portmarnock must pull through any temporary emergency. He was a very proud man that night, proud of being captain of Portmarnock, and what it stood for in Irish golf.

That was the gist of the remarks of Mr. Michael Burke, P.R.C.S.I., when responding, at the dinner at Portmarnock on Saturday night, to the toast of

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE NIGHTLY at 8. MATINEE SAT., 2.30.
Stanley Illsley and Leo McCabe present Somerset Maugham's Sparkling Comedy—
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"HAMILTON AND JONES,"
By WINIFRED M. LETTS.

METROPOLE TO-DAY AT 2 o'c., 4.30, 7 o'c., 9.30.
JAMES MASON, MARY CLARE,
"THIS MAN IS DANGEROUS."
Also "YOU'RE OUT OF LUCK."

GRAFTON Continuous 2 to 11. 2.45, 5.0, 7.20, 9.35.
CHARLES LAUGHTON, TALLULAH BANKHEAD in
"DEVIL AND THE DEEP."

THEATRE DE LUXE
Dublin's Super-Cinema, 3.30-11.0, Camden st.
Marjorie Rambeau and Alan Hale in "TUGBOAT ANNIE SAILS AGAIN."
Roy Rogers in "COLORADO."

CORINTHIAN.—Jack Holt, "THE GREAT 'PLANE ROBBERY." At 2.45, 5.10, 7.35, 10 o'clock. Edith Fellows, "FIVE LITTLE PEPPERS IN TROUBLE." At 3.39, 6.4, 8.29, And CHAPTER 3, "JUNIOR G-MEN."

QUEEN'S STAGE AT 3.40, 6 o'clock, & 8.30.
HARRY BAILEY, cheekier than ever.
BOB LLOYD QUINTETTE and Full Variety.
GENE AUTRY in "MELODY RANCH."
At 2.30, 4.40, 7 o'clock, 9.20.

ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS.
MEMBERS' STRAWBERRY BREAKFAST, SATURDAY NEXT, 5th JULY, 9 a.m.
Seats should be booked not later than Thursday, 3rd July, to avoid disappointment.

ROYAL Show at 3.25, 5.55, 8.25. Film at 2.0, 4.30, 7.0, 9.30.
THE ROWDY, ROMANTIC RIOT!
GEORGE MURPHY, LUCILLE BALL, EDMOND O'BRIEN,
"THE NAVY STEPS OUT."
MAY DEVITT, JOSEPH FLOOD, in GEMS FROM "BITTER SWEET." | "ARGENTINA," With Royal Violettes, 6 ARGENTINI. FRED DOYLE.

REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. At 2.40, 4.50, 7.0, 9.15.
ROBERT MONTGOMERY, CAROLE LOMBARD, In "MR. AND MRS. SMITH," With GENE RAYMOND.

SAVOY At 2.30, 4.50, 7.10, 9.30.
1941's SCREAM RIOT!
JAMES STEWART, HEDY LAMARR, "COME LIVE WITH ME,"

CAPITOL TO-DAY, at 2.35, 4.50, 7.5, 9.20.
GINGER ROGERS, In her Academy Award Winning Rôle, "KITTY FOYLE."

ASTOR TO-DAY, 2 o'c. to 11 o'c., Continuous.
JOHN McCORMACK in "SONG OF MY HEART."

CAPITOL THEATRE AND CAFES.
PATRONS KINDLY NOTE THAT FROM
TO-NIGHT ONWARDS
THE CAPITOL CAFES WILL BE CLOSED.

CARLTON SHOWING AT 2.25, 4.45, 7.0, 9.20
Bruce Bairnsfather's War Comedy,
"OLD BILL AND SON,"
With John Mills and Renee Houston.

ADELPHI At 2.38, 4.52, 7.06 and 9.20.
BETTE DAVIS in "THE LETTER,"
With Herbert Marshall, James Stephenson.
All her love in one brief letter . . . all her life to regret it.

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE. Con., 3 to 10.30 p.m.
ROBERT TAYLOR, in
"FLIGHT COMMAND."
Showing at 3.40, 6.10 & 8.40 p.m.

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE.
"Q PLANES," with Laurence Olivier, Ralph Richardson, Valerie Hobson. Showing at 4.05, 6.37, 9.09. Also "THE CAPTAIN IS A LADY," with Charles Coburn, Virginia Grey.

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
ANN SOTHERN and IAN HUNTER in
"DULCY."

GREEN—To-day, 2.40, 5.0, 7.12, 9.25—GEORGE RAFT, ANN SHERIDAN, HUMPHREY BOGART, "ROAD TO FRISCO."

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D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
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NATIONAL HEALTH AND PENSIONS INSURANCE.
WARNING TO EMPLOYERS AND INSURED PERSONS.

The attention of Employers is directed to the necessity for having the stamping of the National Health and Pensions insurance contribution cards for the first half of 1941 completed. The stamped cards must be returned to the insured persons concerned not later than the 12th July, 1941, except where special arrangements have been made for the surrender of the cards in bulk to the National Health Insurance Society.

Failure to stamp or return cards within the prescribed time is an offence punishable on summary prosecution and NOTICE is hereby given that persons who fail to comply with the law will be prosecuted.

The amount of any Health Insurance benefit or widows' or orphans' pension lost by an insured person, or by a dependent of an insured person, on account of failure to stamp a card at the proper time is recoverable from the employer.

Insured persons are required to surrender their stamped cards to the National Health Insurance Society before the 20th July, 1941.
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AN ROINN PUIST AGUS TELEGRAFA.
(Department of Posts and Telegraphs.)
TELEPHONE CHARGES.

The Department of Posts and Telegraphs directs attention to the increases of Telephone charges indicated below:—

Subscribers' Lines — Rentals, call fees and miscellaneous charges included in subscribers' accounts rendered on and after the 1st October, 1941, will be increased by 5 per cent.

Call Offices—The following alterations in charges will take effect as from 1st July, 1941:—

Local Calls—First area (up to 5 miles); Second area (5 to 7½ miles). The present charges of 2d. and 4d. will remain unchanged.

Trunk Calls (calls to Exchanges over 7½ miles)—The present "Day" rate charges (inclusive of 2d. Call Office fee) from 5d. to 2s. 5d. will be increased by one penny. The charges from 2s. 6d. upwards will be increased by twopence.

The present "Night" rate charges will be increased by one penny throughout.

Personal call fees will be increased by one penny to 1s. 1d. for a "Day" rate call and 7d. for a "Night" rate call.

The cable fees on cross-Channel calls will also be increased by one penny to 1s. 1d. for a "Day" rate call and 7d. for a "Night" rate call.

Subscribers' Coin Box Telephones —The amounts to be collected in the coin boxes will be the same as for calls from Call Offices (as above).

Full particulars of the revised charges may be obtained at any Post Office.

P. S. O'HEGARTY, Secretary.
28th June, 1941. W.H.Co.
38/B.3784.

EMERGENCY POWERS ACT.
SALE OF TURF IN DUBLIN CITY AND COUNTY.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance has made an Order, with effect as from 1st July, 1941, providing that no person shall in the County Borough of Dublin or in the County of Dublin sell, or offer for sale, turf at a price exceeding:

(a) If the quantity sold or offered for sale is one ton or more, a price calculated at the rate of forty-five shillings per ton, inclusive of cost of delivery; or

(b) If the quantity sold or offered for sale is less than one ton, but not less than a half-ton, a price calculated at the rate of twenty-three shillings and sixpence per half-ton, inclusive of cost of delivery; or

(c) If the quantity sold or offered for sale is less than half a ton, but not less than a quarter of a ton, a price calculated at the rate of twelve shillings and sixpence per quarter of a ton, inclusive of cost of delivery; or

(d) If the quantity sold or offered for sale is less than five hundredweights, but not less than one hundredweight, a price calculated at the rate of two shillings and ninepence per hundredweight, inclusive of cost of delivery; or

(e) If the quantity sold or offered for sale is less than eight stones, a price calculated at the rate of fourpence per stone, exclusive of cost of delivery.

The Order also provides that no person shall, in the County Borough of Dublin or in the County of Dublin sell or offer for sale by retail turf otherwise than by weight.

The Order does not apply to turf briquettes.

The Order is entitled Emergency Powers (Sale of Turf in Dublin City and County) (No. 1) Order, 1941. It will be on sale in due course, and copies may be purchased from the Government Publications Sale Office, 4 College street, Dublin, or through any Bookseller. Meanwhile copies may be inspected at the Office of Public Works, 51 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Office of the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance, 28th June, 1941.
38/B.3784. W.H.Co.

COIMISIUN UM CHEAPACHAIN AITIULA.
POSTANNA FOLAMH—
MAI L'AGHA TIGHE (BEIRT).

OSBUIDEAL NA CONNDAE. CAISLEAN a'BHARRAIGH, CO. MHUIGHEO.

Féadfar fuirmeacha iarrtais i gcóir na bpost seo agus mion-innste ina dtaobh d'fháil ó Rúnaí an Choimisiúin, 45 Sráid Uach, O Conaill, Baile Atha Cliath. Is le h-aghaidh bliana na ceapacháin agus is do réir £140 in-aghaidh na bliana máille le biadh agus lóistín a bheidh an tuarastal. IS E AN 15adh LA DE MHI IUIL, 1941. AN DATA IS DEANAI AR A NGLACFAR LE h-IARRTAISI.
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CAPITOL THEATRE AND CAFES.
PATRONS KINDLY NOTE THAT FROM
TO-NIGHT ONWARDS
THE CAPITOL CAFES WILL BE CLOSED.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE SOCIETY,
ARUS BRUGHA,
9/10 UPPER O'CONNELL STREET, DUBLIN.

SURRENDER OF STAMPED NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE CARDS

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

On and from Tuesday, July 1st, to Thursday, July 31st, the undernoted Estate Offices will be open, by permission of the City Manager, on the dates and during the hours specified, for the reception of stamped cards and applications for membership of the Society.

Members are requested to avail of the office nearest to their residence.

ESTATE OFFICES

SOUTH DUBLIN.
88 Ceannt's Fort, Mount Brown.
3 Siane Road, Kimmage.
"B" Block, Whelan House, Thorncastle Street, Ringsend.

NORTH DUBLIN.
1 Imaal Road, Cabra.
1 Ferguson Road, Drumcondra.
2 Marino Park Avenue, Fairview.

These offices will be open daily (except Saturdays) during the hours: 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Surrender all stamped cards promptly.
BRING YOUR RECORD CARD.
R. HENDERSON, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

WICKLOW BOARD OF HEALTH AND PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.
DUNLAVIN DISPENSARY DISTRICT

Appointment of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health to the above-named Dispensary District, in accordance with Section 5 (1) of the Local Authorities (Officers and Employees) Act, 1926.

The Wicklow Board of Health and Public Assistance invite applications from pensionable or pensioned Medical Officers of Local Authorities, the duties of whose office relate, or have related, to matters the same as, or similar to, the duties of a Dispensary Medical Officer, for the position of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Dunlavin Dispensary District, situate in the County of Wicklow.

The sanctioned salary attaching to the position shall be at the rate of £250, rising by annual increments of £10 to a maximum of £325, together with £40 per annum as Medical Officer of Health, and the usual fees under the Vaccination and Registration Acts.

Applications, setting out detailed particulars regarding—
1. Qualifications, with dates.
2. Experience, post-graduate and practical.
3. Nature of present office or offices in respect of which pension is being drawn, with name of Local Authority or Authorities.
4. Length of service in present position, or in position from which pension resulted.
5. Date of birth—

should reach me not later than 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, July 12th, 1941, at my office, County Home, Rathdrum.

Subject to the approval of the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, applications will be considered at the meeting of the Board to be held on 28th July, 1941.
By Order,
THOMAS BYRNE, Acting Secretary.
Boardroom, Rathdrum.
27/6/'41.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
BOMB DAMAGE

Notice is hereby given that persons making claims in respect of premises damaged as a result of bombing incident of 31st May, 1941, should do so on the official form supplied. Forms may be had at Charleville Mall Public Library between the hours 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Latest date for return of the Forms to the Library is Monday, 14th July, 1941.

P. J. HERNON, City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 28th June, 1941.

COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.
AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS DEPARTMENT.
DISTRIBUTION OF ANTI-GAS RESPIRATORS.

All residents in Mount Merrion, Stillorgan, Kilmacud, Goatstown, Harlech, Roebuck and Newtownpark areas who have not yet received their respirators are requested to attend for fitting at the Ballroom, Mount Merrion, on Monday, the 30th June, 1941, and on Tuesday, the 1st July 1941, from 7.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.
(Signed.)
FRANCIS A. MAGUIRE, Acting County Secretary.
Offices: 11 Parnell Square, Dublin.
Dated: 30th June, 1941.

FOR OTHER PUBLIC NOTICES SEE PAGE 4.

The Irish Times

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1941.

Rival Claims

The war between Germany and Soviet Russia has been in progress for a week; and it still is difficult to find out what precisely is happening. Each side seems to be making extravagant claims, which cannot be checked, and the only fact of which one can be certain is that the fighting is becoming more and more intense. The Germans promised to issue a comprehensive statement yesterday; and, if even half the claims which they make are justified, they, undoubtedly, have achieved remarkable results. According to this bulletin, which comes from Herr Hitler's headquarters, the German *Luftwaffe* established superiority in the air on the very first day of the fighting. By the evening of June 22nd—that is to say, within twelve hours of the German attack—no fewer than 1,811 Russian aeroplanes had been destroyed, in the air and on the ground, whereas the total German losses in aircraft did not exceed thirty-five. During the week, the German statement continues, 4,107 Russian aircraft have been lost, against a gross sacrifice of only 150 German machines. On the ground, Germany's successes seem to have been almost equally spectacular. Forty thousand Russian prisoners have been taken—a surprisingly small number in comparison with the Red Army's total strength, and the number of prisoners that was captured by Hindenburg and Ludendorff in the late autumn of 1914, but still a very respectable total for a week. Six hundred guns have been taken, and the vast total of 2,233 tanks—including forty-six of the heaviest variety—have been placed *hors de combat*. The Germans also declare that they have captured vast quantities of anti-tank guns, anti-aircraft batteries, machine-guns, and motorised vehicles of all kinds, and that these numbers will be increased substantially in the near future. East of Bialystok, they assert, two whole Russian armies have been encircled. These forces, which, it is alleged, were earmarked for an invasion of Germany, must either capitulate or be wiped out during the next few days. Armoured troops and mechanised divisions have reached the Minsk area, where further successes are expected in the near future. Everywhere, it seems, the Germans have been victorious. During the first four days of the fighting—that is to say, by the evening of last Wednesday—twelve hundred Russian tanks had been destroyed by the German Army and ninety-seven by the *Luftwaffe*. Not only Brest-Litowsk, where the famous treaty was signed in 1917, but also Vilna and Kaunas (formerly Kovno) have been taken by the Germans, and the fortress of Grodno has been captured "after a hard fight." The theatre of war is so vast that the outside observer cannot be expected to form any accurate idea of the way in which events are shaping themselves. The German claims, as set out in the *communiqué* from the Fuehrer's headquarters, undoubtedly are impressive; but they must be read in conjunction, not only with the Russian bulletins, but also with certain qualifications which they themselves contain.

From the German point of view time is of the essence of the Russian contract. When the invasion began, it was predicted confidently that the Germans would be in Moscow within three weeks, and that the whole campaign would not last for more than about a month. The Russian Army, it seemed, was hopelessly inefficient, and, in spite of its colossal numbers, would not be able to put up a fight even as good as that which was put up by the Grand Duke Nicholas's forces during the last war. After one week's fighting, little can be said. The Russian bulletins, as might have been expected, flatly contradict almost everything that is claimed by the Germans. In the Minsk and Luck areas, the Soviets declare, the spearhead of the German attack has been "stopped." In the Baranovitch sector—through which Napoleon's *Grande Armée* advanced towards Moscow—"fierce fighting" is going on, and the German tank detachments have suffered heavy losses. The Russian Air Force, the bulletins insist, have dealt heavy blows against the *Luftwaffe*, and the Soviet troops everywhere are holding the State frontiers. The results of the first week's fighting, according to the Russians, "are still under examination." This phrase may mean much, or it may mean nothing at all. Manifestly, it would be absurd to take the Russian bulletins at their face value. They must be read against the background of the German reports, which, despite their confident claims, contain significant admissions. They tell of "violent counter-attacks" which collapsed, and of "frenzied counter-attacks" on June 23rd, from which the German soldiers emerged as victors. Another passage refers to "desperate counter-attacks," and declares that the Russians had "innumerable tanks" at their disposal, including a number of "new great tanks," the size or quality of which is not disclosed. Out of all this welter of claim and counter-claim only one fact emerges with any degree of clarity—the Russians are stronger than most of the military experts believed them to be. Apart altogether from their numerical superiority—which they also had in the last war—their army seems to have been better prepared for the German onslaught than their opponents imagined, and their troops are giving quite a respectable account of themselves. More than that, at the moment, cannot be said. It is quite within the bounds of possibility that Russia will collapse, just as France collapsed, and that the *moujik*, like the *poilu*, will not be able to withstand the combined attacks of the *Panzer* divisions and the dive-bombers. On the other hand, in a war so full of surprises, who can predict anything? Even if the German motorised forces should arrive in Moscow before the end of the present week, the military situation would not be changed materially. In operations against the Russians, territorial gains or losses are of minor importance. Even when Ludendorff and Hoffman, in the early stages of the last war, annihilated Samsonoff's legions in the Masurian Lakes, and put Rennenkampf to flight, the Tsar's forces lived to fight another day. The only other country in the world that can compare in this respect with Russia is China, against whom the highly mechanised, and thoroughly efficient, Japanese Army have been fighting now for quite a considerable period of time.

Chemise-el

Przemysl has been in the news again. Those who were old enough to take an interest in the war reports of 1914 and 1915 may remember the place. That is to say, they may remember the look, as distinct from the sound, of the name. There was no British Broadcasting Corporation in 1914 and 1915, so that the pronunciations of the weirdly spelled places that appeared in the news were not freely available for any who liked to listen at a radio set. Radio in those days concerned itself only with the dots and dashes of the Morse code. Those who had no Polish did their best with the sounds that the letters seemed to spell, and the result was a variety of spitting noises, till a kindly newspaper pointed out that the word was pronounced to rhyme with chemise-el. The loss or capture of Przemysl means a great deal less to-day than it did 26 or 27 years ago. An isolated, and, to some extent, beleaguered, position like Tobruk may possess strategic importance for Britain because it can be reached by sea, and must prove a thorn in the side of any large unit attempting to force a path by the northern desert routes into Egypt. So far as land forts are concerned, they possess advantages in modern war only so long as the chain of which they form a part is unbroken. In the last war Przemysl proved an embarrassment rather than a source of strength to its holders at times. Its garrison consisted of, roughly, 130,000 men, and when it was besieged by the Russians the Austrian Army misspent a great deal of effort in trying to relieve it. Historically, it was important, and for that reason the matter of its correct pronunciation may properly be of concern to those who desire to discuss military affairs of past and present. Its historic importance lies in the fact that it was the only land fortress of the world war which stood a prolonged siege after complete investment. The Russians were hammering at it from November 6th, 1914, till March 22nd, 1915, and its surrender after the siege of four and a half months was due as greatly to shortage of supplies as it was to the aggressive efforts of the besiegers, who relied upon blockade instead of assault. They were satisfied to surround it with second-rate troops, and their siege artillery was anything but efficient. When the Russians became the defenders and the Germans were the attackers, Przemysl's value deteriorated as rapidly as Mackensen's heavy guns reduced its forts. To-day, with air bombardment to aid the work of first-class artillery, the capture of the place by one side or the other is far from the sensation it proved in 1915.

"Behind the Ears"

"I don't hold with all this washing—this modern Behind-the-Ears nonsense," said Eeyore in "Winnie-the-Pooh," and, no doubt, the great majority of children would wish to be associated with this statement. Up to the present, however, parents have taken a very different view of the matter; they have maintained that water is plentiful, soap is cheap, and that there is no logical reason why children should not be continually washing themselves. Water is still plentiful, but whether or not soap will continue to be either cheap or plentiful in the future is a matter for speculation. In Britain recently there has been much loose talk about the rationing of soap, and, since there is no smoke without fire, it can safely be assumed that soap may become scarce in a short time. Probably it will never be necessary to imitate "Squint-Eyed Cactus Jones" of the once popular song, who "took a bath just once a year, and used sand instead of soap," but it may become necessary to be sparing with the amount of soap that is used. To the worker who, as a rule, takes a bath every Saturday night, and then only from a sense of duty, the restriction would not seem to be a hardship, but to the "bright young thing" of the West End, who spends a large proportion of her life reclining in foam baths and the like for the sake of mere physical pleasure, the restrictions would imply a return to the Dark Ages. As a matter of fact, Dark Ages is the wrong period, for although the Dark Ages were called "dark" they were probably a great deal cleaner than the "Age of Reason" which followed. Cleanliness seems to be more a matter of fashion than of progress. In the time of the Roman Empire, and for some time after it, open-air public baths were a common sight, and the people—or, at any rate, those who had sufficient leisure—were addicted to the habit of frequent bathing, while Dr. Johnston, who lived in the age of reason and dandyism, himself admitted that he hated immersion. In the play, "Berkeley Square," in which a twentieth century American finds himself transported through time to eighteenth century London, he is astounded by the filth of this "enlightened" period, while the people with whom he lives are equally astounded by his habit of washing himself from head to foot every morning, especially when the process means that the unfortunate maid has to carry a tub of water up ten flights of stairs. The Londoners of this play would correspond roughly to the "Mayfair" section of the community to-day; but apparently the dislike for cleanliness in this period extended even to Royalty. A writer in the *Manchester Guardian* mentions that a royal duke—one of King George III.'s sons—maintained the convenient theory that "sweat keeps a man clean." If, as the old adage insists, cleanliness is next to godliness, then the eighteenth century should certainly be called the "Dark" Age.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	3.45	4.38
Evening	4.16	5.15

COURT AND PERSONAL

Lord Adare and Lady Adare spent last week in Dublin.

Captain George E. T. Eyston, the famous racing motorist, celebrated his forty-fourth birthday on Saturday.

Mr. John Coates, the former operatic tenor, was seventy-six yesterday.

Mrs. Kenneth Page is staying with her parents, The O'Mahony and Madame O'Mahony, for the duration of the war.

The Marchioness of Waterford is now in residence at Curraghmore, Co. Waterford.

Lt.-Colonel R. Charteris has left Cahir Park for London, and will be away a month.

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place shortly between the Hon. Patrick Campbell, elder son of Lord and Lady Glenavy, "Clonard," Terenure, Dublin, and Miss Sylvia Willoughby-Lee, only daughter of the late Captain Kenneth Willoughby-Lee, M.C., and Mrs. Clifford Beckley, of Muizenberg, Cape, South Africa.

The engagement is announced between Denis E. W. Lea, Lieutenant, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, only son of the late Mr. Ernest Lea and of Mrs. Lea, of Bristol, and Kathleen Balfour Leatham, W.R.N.S., eldest daughter of the late Major W. S. B. Leatham, R.I. Rifles, of Portrush, and of Mrs. Leatham, Redroofs, Cultra, Co. Down.

Mr. E. J. Bermingham, B.D.S., has returned to 32 Harcourt street.

Dr. Honor Purser has left 60 Fitzwilliam square for four weeks.

Doctor Merrin has returned to Dun Laoghaire.

The Switzer Sale begins this morning . . . . the best of all opportunities for really wise buying—for yourself, your family and your home.

Richard Alan's Sale commences to-day at 58 Grafton St. In spite of present-day difficulties in obtaining replacement stocks, our usual reductions have been made in all departments. This is the opportunity for obtaining that Coat, Suit, Frock or Jumper at attractively low prices.

At Miss Doran's, Dawson St., an entirely new collection of Summer Clothes will be shown this week, Flora' Crepe de Chene Frocks, Linen Tailored and Silk Two-piece Ensembles, Dainty Blouses, Millinery, etc., etc.

Last week of Sale. Bargains in Printed Dresses, Suits and Coats.—Margaret Watson, 17A Dawson St.

Paul, 12 Wicklow St. Reduction Sale Costumes, Long Coats. Special price for Tailor-mades to order during Sale.

Pictures for Wedding Gifts.—Combridge's Galleries.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear. Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

Anne Land, 21 Dawson street. Reduction Sale continues for another week.

Jenny Wrenn's Sale commences to-day at 17 South Anne St.

Slyne's Summer Sale. Unbeatable values. Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton St.

Attractive offers at Stephens and Bourke's Summer Sale of Footwear.

Have your Furs Remodelled, Repaired, Cleaned by Expert Furriers at reduced summer charges.—Model Fur Co., 51 Grafton street.

Summer Straws and Felts at greatly reduced prices.—Cathcart, 26 Dawson St.

To Ladies.—Ladies' Department for Medical Appliances, Artificial Silk Elastic Stockings, or Lastex and Lastestar Stockings, stretching both ways.—Fannin and Co., Ltd., 41 Grafton street.

C. Jones and Sons, Ltd., only address is 114 St. Stephen's Green ('Phone 51359), Renovators and Decorators.

Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau St., Dublin

SLIGO MEMORIES

"For a Boy's will is the Wind's will,
And the thoughts of Youth are long, long thoughts."
—Longfellow.

Sligo, vivid little motion pictures of it in words, as indelibly photographed in the mind of a boy who saw the sailors on the quays as Long John Silver and sundry characters of the Jolly Roger times, a boy who never forgot the imagery of every cherished memory of it—such was the Sligo described by Mr. R. M. Smyllie in his talk, "Looking Back," broadcast over Radio Eireann last night.

Great Sligo characters lived again, including Tommy Hill, of "the exceedingly efficient ferrule," under whom the speaker studied at the Model School; Miss MacNaboe, who sold "money balls"; Peter Geraghty, the bread man, who used to allow the speaker to drive his van; "Gnick-Gnock the Gnuck," who mumbled songs for a pint; Mary Ann O'Mailie, who delivered Mr. Smyllie's baby sister to the house in a little black bag, and "the tall old covenanting Elder who used to stand up during prayers in the Presbyterian church."

IRISH ACTORS' UNION

More than a hundred people have registered as supporters of the Irish Actors' Union, stated the interim report submitted to a general meeting of the Union held in Jury's Hotel, Dublin, yesterday.

The report stated that the Committee had decided that the Union should embrace all branches of the theatrical profession, and that a wide and constant drive should be maintained to secure the allegiance of all concerned. The question of the appearance in theatres of students of schools of acting had been examined, and, while it was a complex one, it was felt that satisfactory measures to regulate it could be found. The main task left for the provisional committee was to draw up a constitution for the Union, and this would be proceeded with. The Committee believed that an association of writers, actors, artists and musicians could be accomplished by the united effort of a powerful body, such as an association of the kind could become.

The report also mentioned that proposals to raise funds had been considered, and would be pushed forward at the first opportunity. They also thanked the Press.

The meeting was addressed by Mr. Sean O Faolain.

CHURCH OF IRELAND
ORDINATION

The Bishop of Down and Connor and Dromore (Right Rev. J. F. McNeice, D.D.) held an Ordination Service yesterday in St. Nicholas' Church, Belfast, when the following were admitted to Holy Orders:—

Deacon—Charles Nesbitt Sansom, M.A., T.C.D., for the Curacy of St. Matthew's, Belfast.

Priests—Rev. Malcolm Graham, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of St. Martin's, Ballymacarrett; John J. Armstrong, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of St. Patrick's, Ballymacarrett; Leslie J. Woodroffe Colthurst, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of Willowfield; Joseph M. Payne, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of St. Aidan's, Belfast; Samuel H. Reid, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of St. Luke's, Belfast; Wilbert E. Beveridge, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of St. Mary's, Belfast; David F. Simmons, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of Maralin; John F. O. Williams, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of Shankill, Lurgan; George P. Bodle, B.A., T.C.D., Curate of St. Simon's, Belfast.

ST. PETER'S, BELFAST,
PATRONAL SERVICE

Preaching at the Patronal Festival of St. Peter's Parish Church, Belfast, on Saturday evening, the Archbishop of Dublin (Most Rev. A. W. Barton, D.D.) said that this festival was in the nature of a Thanksgiving Service; for while the churches of many neighbouring parishes were in ruins, St. Peter's remained intact. As they passed through the sad ruins of the city their minds rightly looked forward to see it as it would be re-built in the days of peace. When that re-building took place he trusted the churches which rose from the present ruins would also be worthy of that great purpose—the worship of God. A city without churches, he said, is a city without a soul. When he saw the spires and towers of a city like theirs, they seemed to him like fingers pointing towards God, and emphasising the fundamental truth that the whole duty of man is to glorify God.

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
SUNDAY NIGHT.

IN political circles there is disappointment at the announcement made by Mr. Churchill that it is impossible to arrange a date when an Imperial Conference can meet in London. In almost every quarter the desire is expressed that there shall be a conference as soon as possible—sooner the better, from several points of view. It is suggested that such a gathering would certainly precede important changes in the British Government with the idea of strengthening the hands of Mr. Churchill. That there are still weak patches in that Government is obvious to everybody, but it is probable that circumstances prevent drastic changes at the present time. A lack of cohesion among the various Ministries is one feature of to-day, and another is the fact that where compulsion has become necessary timid pleading is the method employed. The almost open defiance of certain elements among the coal miners is a case in point, and is one that will have to be dealt with by somebody in authority if the Ministry concerned cannot manage to control the men.

The Fire-Watching Order

Mr. Herbert Morrison, Minister for Home Security, is to meet a deputation to-morrow from the Trade Union Congress, which will call for the withdrawal of the Compulsory Fire-Watching Order, and ask for the introduction of a new Order which will make provision for complete consultation with the trade unions as to the scope of the work to be done in this connection. The unions claim that it is definitely anti-social to compel men to give services to their employers without remuneration. It seems that the necessities of the State and the public welfare are overlooked by the union leaders in this connection, since, without an element of compulsion to bring everybody in, there would be great lack of fire-watchers. Another point is that the average fire-watcher services are in most cases recognised by a financial arrangement with the employers. It will be interesting to hear what the trade union leaders will have to offer to make the situation secure. Fire bombs have no respect for persons, and words will be no preventive against them. It is probable that the necessity for compulsion will continue in spite of deputations.

Beef Cattle

As a result of discussions with representatives of agricultural interests, the British Government has decided that there is to be no reduction in beef cattle in this country in view of the necessity for maintaining the home-produced meat supply, but, to meet the shortage of cattle food, there is to be a reduction of four per cent. in the number of dairy cattle. Dairy-farmers may not like to part with one animal in twenty-five, but this reduction is not so drastic as was at one time feared. It represents a compromise, which will be generally accepted by the dairy industry. Exhaustive investigations have shown that with this reduction there should be sufficient feeding-stuffs in the country for milk production to be maintained at a level that will enable all reasonable demands to be met throughout the winter, especially if farmers carry out the instructions of the Ministry of Agriculture regarding the conservation of food, and the adoption of silage systems to provide reserve stocks, which may be drawn upon in case of need.

Clearing London Up

London is being rapidly cleared up, and the *débris* dumps are gradually becoming smaller. During the quiet period the demolition squads have been able to do good work in the clearing, sorting and stocking of material of all kinds. There has been grumbling in some districts regarding the unsuitability of places chosen for dumping, but it is pointed out that the authorities had to take what ground they could get, as near as possible to the bombed areas, to save transport and time. Sales of "bargain lines" have been very brisk, baths, doors, cisterns, and dustbins fetching quite good prices, while there has been a great disposal of firewood among the poorer people. The demolition workers generally are doing their job with all the speed possible, and the results already obtained are remarkable.

Evacuation of the Aged

During the autumn it is probable that further arrangements will be made to secure the evacuation of old people and children from areas likely to be affected by air raids, and in the meanwhile every effort is being made to form further fire-fighting units and improve the efficiency of the Air Raid Precautions Services. Many thousands of people who can do little to help in a case of emergency would be better out of populous districts, and Mr. Herbert Morrison, Home Secretary, is being called upon to give instructions and guidance to this end. In many cases there are old people living alone who persist in remaining in danger areas, and they add greatly to the work of those whose duty it is to guard them from harm. They are generally of the poorer class, unable of themselves to meet the trouble and expense of removal, but much can be done by careful organisation.

Air Raid Orphans

Mrs. Adamson, Parliamentary-Secretary to the Ministry of Pensions, has received thousands of applications for the adoption of air raid orphans, but adoptions are not being considered until peace returns. There are about one thousand of these children. Each has been provided with a pension for maintenance, and the majority are living with near relatives or close friends of their late parents. Exhaustive inquiries are made before the children go into their new homes. The children will be looked after until they are old enough to fend for themselves. At present Mrs. Adamson's charges range from babies to children sixteen years old.

Photographic Printing Paper

Amateur photographers soon will be affected by a shortage of printing paper. One very big firm already has decided to allow only one print from each negative, not allowing for failures. Photographers are advised to cut out all unnecessary detail when taking pictures, and only the really successful in a roll of film will be finished. The rolls are now unofficially rationed; a customer may not buy more than two at a time. It is said that films will become scarcer as time goes on, and to-day the faster types which came from the United States are quite unobtainable.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Building Finance

No mountain—said a building society director—has ever been in labour to produce a more contemptible mouse.

"We were led," he said, "by statements of the Minister for Local Government to expect that something substantial would be done to enable building societies to fill the gap created by the suspension of the small Dwelling Acquisition Acts in Dublin.

"What we hoped for was something on the lines of the U.S.A. Housing Commission, who insure the repayment of advances made for house-purchase against the payment of small yearly premiums.

"Now it appears that the Minister of Finance, with the consent of the Minister of Local Government, insists on 'passing the buck' to Dublin ratepayers."

The bill merely authorises the Corporations of Dublin and Dun Laoghaire and the County Council—with the Minister's consent—to guarantee advances made by bankers to building societies. These societies are not to receive any guarantee of repayment of advances made to house purchasers.

The bill, and another to change the statutory borrowing powers of building societies, to be introduced by the Minister of Industry and Commerce, mean nothing more than additions to supplies of waste-paper.

Irish Tobacco

A colleague, fond of his nasty "crack," has said that a good substitute for tobacco is Irish tobacco. But that is not exactly fair on the home-grown weed.

True, it lacks the refinement of its Virginian brother; but I have smoked French cigarettes of the cheaper variety which were not up to the standard of

"PREPARE TO MEET THE WORST"

TAOISEACH'S WARNING

URGES PLANS FOR EVACUATION NOW

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Saturday.

SPEAKING at a Fianna Fail conference at Ennis to-day, Mr. de Valera said that he wanted to warn the people that every day that passed while this war lasted would see our country more and more in a position of danger; every hour that is given to us should be used to prepare to meet the worst should it come. Despite every preparation that can be made, war means confusion, misery, destruction and death, but all these can be greatly lessened by careful forethought and wise planning. In steeling ourselves in advance to meet whatever ordeal may come, God has so far spared us, and it may be His will that we be spared to the end, but we have no right to presume this, and should, besides praying that it may be as we hope, make ready by every human means to defend ourselves effectively. It is worse than foolish to leave over until an attack has come arrangements which can be made now in anticipation. There is hardly a single home that can feel safe now in anticipation; there is hardly a single home that can feel safe should war come here. Every householder should now make up his mind what he and his family will do should he be called upon to abandon his house.

ADDED DANGER

He should think over his problem whilst he has time to think and plan calmly. If he fails to do it now he certainly will not do it when the battle is raging round him, and when bombs and shells are falling. Neglect to use the time that is given him now means that he is adding to his own danger, the danger of his friends and the danger of his neighbours. The peril of people in the towns and cities is, of course, far greater than that of people living in detached homes in the country, and evacuation on a large scale may be the only safeguard of the people of our cities. Every family in our larger centres of population who have friends in the country should without delay make arrangements to see that the children and the old people at least may be in a position at the first sight of danger to leave the cities and go into the country.

EVACUATE NOW

The chief difficulty is, of course, that there is likely to be no warning. It is wiser, therefore, for those who can do it to transfer to the country now. A little experiment during the holiday period would not at all be out of place. It is a mistake for the heads of families to leave anything to the State or to the public authorities which they can do themselves. Householders in the larger cities should provide themselves with some kind of shelter within or beside their homes, learning the best way to put out fires, having the necessary materials always at hand; and they should carefully study and follow the instructions of the A.R.P. Department.

The cities are the weakest points in our defences, as they are in the defences of every country. Everything we can do to lessen that weakness adds considerably to our powers of resistance. "I am worried by the thought that our people are taking things too complacently in not thinking sufficiently ahead and doing now for themselves the things which they can do, either alone or by simple co-operation with their neighbours, for the nation's defence—that is, for the defence of the liberty and lives of our people.

JOIN THE ARMY

Our military forces cannot be too strong and the Minister for Defence is willing to take further recruits into the Army, and any man of military age and good physique should, if he is free to go, regard it as a duty to join and be ready to play his part in the defence of the nation. Those who could not join the whole-time forces should join the L.D.F. in their districts; but, except under exceptional circumstances, young men should not attach themselves to the L.S.F., which should be reserved for the older men

"Our best preparation for war, should it come, is to perfect as far as possible all the measures that are necessary for the safety of the civilian population in our cities, and, on the other hand, to increase the number of our fighting men and their equipment to the utmost. Even though there should be no military attack upon us, we are going to pass through a time of very great hardship for many of our people, and some have begun to suffer already."

FARMERS WARNED

He appealed to farmers to go light on things they could do without and things that were absolutely essential for others. Food at the present time was so precious that every effort should be made not to waste anything. They should make sure that the harvest was reaped to the full.

Dealing with foot-and-mouth disease, he said that everything the Department of Agriculture could do had been done, and if they were to blame anybody it was those individuals who, despite all warnings, were careless. In face of a plague of that sort they could not afford to be careless, and the instructions of the Department should be carried out voluntarily and quickly by the farming community.

Having adverted to the difficulties of obtaining petrol and the possibilities of reverting to horse transport, he dealt with the scarcity of kerosene, and said that there was only a certain limited quantity of that commodity, and they must make sure that it was used to the greatest national advantage. They were going to have, in all probability, a shortage of candles, and they would possibly have to go back to more primitive methods of supplying light. It would be a question really of daylight saving, of using daylight, as far as possible, for the work that has to be done.

NEW SHIPS

"There is no power on our side which we can exercise which will save us from these difficulties. We have been trying to get ships, but the number we can get is very small, and, again, we will have to make sure that these ships are reserved for commodities deemed to be of most value to the country as a whole. I want you to realise that there is a very serious time ahead, serious in every direction, and the only way in which we can diminish the hardships which are almost certain to come is by careful thought now, and the more the individual thinks for himself and his family, and the more the local community thinks for itself, the easier will be the general organisation necessary to solve these questions."

He said that there was a splendid unity in the country about our main purpose, which is to defend our right to choose our own way during this conflict. Everybody knows, he said, that the policy of the Government as it is the policy not of the Government merely but of all parties as a whole. "We are pledged to defend ourselves against attack, no matter from what quarter it comes. That is our duty from the point of view of neutrality. The military forces that we have built up have been built up on that basis and understanding, and every man who has entered these forces knows that the Government and the nation will defend itself against attack. I think that unity, having a common purpose and objective, is of great value to us. It saves us from a great deal of destruction at home and is valuable to us abroad, because it is a precious part of our defence. The knowledge that outside States have that we are united on this particular matter and that fundamental unity is precious to the nation, and we should be very thankful that that is so." He believed that that unity had done much to save us up to the present, and he hoped the good sense which prompted all sections to stand by it would continue.

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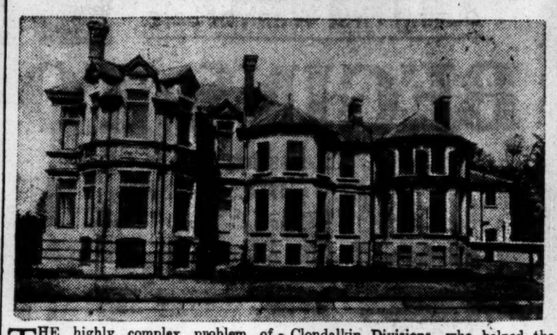

THE highly complex problem of moving a whole hospital, with staff and patients numbering 150 persons, as well as all equipment and furniture, was achieved in one day without a single hitch in Dublin, yesterday, when the 65-year-old Orthopædic Hospital of Ireland was transferred from 22 Upper Merrion street to its new home at "Blackheath," Castle avenue, Clontarf, in 16 ambulances and 14 lorries.

The Orthopædic Hospital of Ireland, which is under the direction of Dr. W. S. Haughton, M.D., M.Ch., has, since its inception in 1876, dedicated itself to the endeavour of bettering the lot of the crippled and deformed child anywhere in Ireland.

The entire operation was carried out by voluntary helpers, and was completed at the scheduled time despite the complexity of the movement, in which the keen co-operation of the officers and members of the "B" District, L.S.F., the Red Cross and other groups played a prominent part. Transportation of furniture and equipment was effected by lorries and vans supplied voluntarily by the Coal Merchants' Association and by Urneys Chocolates, Ltd., while the patients were transferred in Red Cross ambulances, under the personal direction of Mr. Guthrie, Director of Transport for the Irish Red Cross.

These ambulances were manned, in addition to the hospital's own staff, by trained hospital nurses who volunteered specially for the work. They were assisted by members of the Clontarf Division of the Red Cross, under Mr. Stacey.

Co-operating closely with them were also members from the Bluebell and Clondalkin Divisions, who helped the nursing staff in caring for the children.

The traffic section of the "B" district, under Superintendent Brennan, of the Garda Siochana, and Mr. Morewood, L.S.F. traffic officer, with the co-operation of "C" district, made it possible to move the huge convoy to its destination without a halt.

Catering for the hospital staff and L.S.F. members in Blackheath, Clontarf, was undertaken by Miss Montgomery and her staff from Trinity College.

This is the third time the Orthopædic Hospital has moved, due to the necessity for expansion of this humanitarian endeavour to provide a better orthopædic service for the crippled and deformed child, wherever he may be in Ireland.

In 1876 Dr. Robert Lafayette Swan started the hospital with a few beds in a small house in Usher's Island. Seven years afterwards, owing to increased demands for admission, the hospital was moved to Pearse street, into two houses, which had 48 beds for crippled children. In 1902 further increased demands necessitated its removal to 22 Upper Merrion street, where there was accommodation for 75 beds. In its new location the hospital will have over 120 beds, and enjoy many added advantages, including more sunshine and more fresh air for the little patients, as well as a much more extensive open-air ward.

The cost of this new Orthopædic Hospital, instead of being on the usual estimate for new hospitals of £1,000 per bed, is only £150 per bed, according to Dr. Haughton, who points out that "this result has only been made possible by extreme economy on the part of the Governors, without any sacrifice of efficiency, combined with 65 years' experience and voluntary service."

"We hope," Dr. Haughton continued, "that the enthusiasm and interest shown by more than 150 helpers from Dublin's organised defence forces will spread out and infect the general public; for we look to them to help us financially to see us safely through the very heavy expenses that we have incurred by opening this new open-air hospital."

TO OUR READERS.

In order to conserve the supply of newsprint, the Government has issued an Order prohibiting the acceptance of unsold newspapers. We, therefore, appeal for the co-operation of our readers, and ask that they now place a definite order with their Newsagents.

To avoid disappointment on holidays they are advised to make similar arrangements in advance.

THE MANAGER.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Monday, June 30.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11 o'clock. For Hearing—Gavin Low, Ltd., v. Field.

CLARAITHOIR NA gCOIMIRCITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before the Registrar. At 11.30 o'clock—Exparte Statement, G.S.; Redmond, a minor.

Before Mr. Maguhan. At 11 o'clock—Security, I. M. Houlihan; vouch account, Nooney and Dowdall; vouch account, T. W. Franks.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 2. At 11 o'clock. Motions—M. Geraghty, deceased, Geraghty v. Moore; J. Murphy, deceased, Prendergast v. Murphy; Dame A. B. G. Esmonde, deceased, Hickie v. Heffernan; P. Moffatt, deceased, Moffatt v. Moffatt. Summonses—The Agricultural Credit Corporation, Ltd., v. Gowran; Hayes v. Hayes and another. Action and Motion for Judgment (part heard)—Lowry v. Lowry.

In Court 6. At 11 o'clock—Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Frawley; J. A. Kiernan, deceased, Kiernan v. Kiernan; Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Derivan; J. Lawler, deceased, Doran v. Mulhall; Rev. Canon T. Boland, deceased, Boland v. Harte; J. M. Cullinane, deceased, Magner v. Sullivan; Cos. Act and Crosskeys Co-operative Creamery, Ltd.; M. Bourke, deceased, Cleary v. Bourke. Petition—Cos. Act, 1908, and The New States Hotel, Ltd. Motions—Lynch v. Kenny (part heard); Fidelity Trust Co. v. Taylor; Cunnington v. Fennessy. Summonses—Gilvarry v. Gilvarry; Hugh Moore and Alexanders, Ltd., and Reduced and Cos. Act, 1908; Cullinane v. Burke; Maconchy Estate Turbary Scheme and Trustee Acts, 1893 and 1931; Industrial and Life Assurance Amalgamation Co., Ltd., v. Daly; same v. Morelli; Rose and Guardianship of Infants Act, 1886, and S.L. Acts, 1882-1890; Trulock's Settlt. and S.L. Acts; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Ryan. Action—Sampson v. Nealon.
JURY ACTIONS.

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock—McMahon v. O'Toole (probate) (to be resumed); Barry v. Martin (probate). The Jury sworn in the above case at hearing are required to attend in Court 1, at 11 o'clock, this morning.

In Court 3, at 11 o'clock—Feeney v. Allinace and Dublin Consumers Gas Co. (personal injuries). Unsworn Jurors are required to attend in Court 3, at 11 o'clock, this morning.

In Court 4, at 11 o'clock—Faul v. Breen (probate); Lennon and anor. v. McNally (probate); O'Donoghue v. Bowen and anor. (probate); Walshe v. Walshe (matrimonial).

MAISTIR NA b-ARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

At 11 o'clock. Motions of Course—Begley v. Begley; Unemployment Insurance Act, application of Dwyer and Co.; Bourke v. O'Doherty; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Darcy; Provincial Bank v. Cagney (A.); same v. same (I.); same v. O'Flaherty; Macnaughton and Sons v. Clarke; Patchell v. Kinlen; Goodwin, Simons, Ltd., v. Morgan.

Motions on Notice—Rearden v. O'Flanagan; Mayne v. Mayne.

Bankruptcy, at 12 o'clock—Quinn, rch. sc., H. J. Fitzpatrick; arrangt., ac. comp., J. Barrett; do. do. do.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Gallagher, a minor, P. J. Flynn and Co.; Gallagher, decd., same; O'Connell, minors, J. Binchy and Son a Ward of Court, Malcomson and Law; Bower, minors, J. Halpenny; a person of weak mind, J. W. Lane and Co.; Westby, minors, C. D. Foltrell and Sons. At 12 o'clock—State (O'Mahoney) v. South Cork Board of Health, G. G. Goldberg; O'Dwyer, decd., N. P. Shee; Herald Works, Ltd., and Co's. Act, C. E. Callan; same, H. Cancannon and Co.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock—Tralee and Fenit Pier and Harbour Commissioners, E. B. Slattery; Pigs and Bacon Commission v. Shesgreen, E. Ryan; Pearse and Settled Land Acts, M. C. Beatty; Weir v. Guinness, Moore, Kelly and Lloyd; Conniff, decd., J. S. O'Connor. At 12 o'clock—Cox, minors; Crowley, Bolger and Cusack. A Ward of Court; Crookshank, Leech and Vanston. Lewis, a minor; Vincent and Beatty. Same, James Robinson.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)
(At Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion Sq.)

Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Hynes—discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Resumed holding of Mennew and anor.—discharge rulings and settle schedule.

Before Mr. Ryan, at 11 o'clock—John M. Keogh—discharge ruling and settle schedule. At 12.30 o'clock—Mathew C. Mitchell—discharge rulings and settle schedule.
At 6 Munce street.

Before Mr. O'Byrne—Swanton—settle schedule.

CIRCUIT CRIMINAL COURT.
(Green street Courthouse, Dublin).

This day, at 11 o'clock a.m. Jurors Nos. 1 to 150 must attend. Absent jurors may be fined. Jurors Nos. 151 to 300 need not attend until Monday next, 7th July, 1941.

A MODERN DAVIS

By Our Cinema Correspondent

BY OUR CINEMA CORRESPONDENT.

FOR the past two years we have become accustomed to seeing Bette Davis in period costume, and her numerous fans will be pleasantly surprised to find that, in **The Letter**, at the Adelphi this week, she has returned to a modern rôle. Whether she is wearing a crinoline or a backless evening gown, however, she is always a magnificent actress, and this film further enhances her reputation, although, for perhaps the first time in her career, it is very nearly stolen from her. James Stephenson, as her lawyer, is responsible for this grand larceny, giving an extremely polished performance in a part in which it would be dangerously easy to overact. His handling of the court scene is particularly praiseworthy, and he is, throughout, given able support by Herbert Marshall, as the stolid, trusting husband who finds that his confidence has been misplaced.

This finely produced film contains some of the best acting of the year.

Savoy

There were dark rumours abroad some time ago that **Come Live With Me** had been withheld by the Censor from the unspoiled eyes of the Irish cinema public. Had this been done, it would indeed have been a tragedy, for this is a deliciously amusing film, and one which ranks with "Mr. and Mrs. Smith" of two weeks ago. It is, in fact, faintly reminiscent of this excellent production, containing a marriage which is not all it might be, a rival, and an excess of beautifully quiet humour.

Country boy James Stewart, pouting as much as ever, is married to Austrian refugee Hedy Lamarr, not because they want to love, honour and obey, but merely because Hedy wants to be an American citizen so that she will not be deported to what was once Austria. The obvious complications arise when James, contrary to all the best Hollywood traditions, falls in love with his wife and starts a campaign to make her forget her boy friend. In his efforts to achieve this worthy object he is aided and abetted by the boy friend's wife, and the resultant chaos provides entertainment of a very high standard.

Carlton

Billed as the first war-time comedy to be shown in Eire, **Old Bill and Son** abounds in topicalities. The actual humour, however, is inclined to be forced, the comedy situations being either too improbable or too obvious to be convincing. There are, however, some amusing scenes, and these, coupled with a really excellent performance by Moreland Graham, as Old Bill, are sufficient to lift this film out of the rut, making it one that is worth seeing. As an added attraction, we are afforded a glimpse of the inimitable Renée Houston, who handles the art of anti-climax almost as well as did W. C. Fields in the rôle of Micawber.

John Mills, as Young Bill, gives a creditable performance, getting into difficulties with Bren-gun carriers, colonels, sergeants and, of course, Mademoiselle.

Corinthian

Hobart Cavanagh always reminds me of a rabbit, and in **The Great 'Plane Robbery** he is more rabbitish than ever—I expected him to start nibbling lettuce any minute. This time, though, he turns out to be a hero as well, saves the life of an ex-gangster, and an insurance company the trouble of paying a substantial sum of money to the dependants of the former racketeer. Jack Holt is in the limelight to a certain extent, too, and spends some exciting moments chasing trans-continental air-liners and Vicki Lester.

In support is "Five Little Peppers in Trouble," an unending stream of practical jokes, conceived by junior Dead End Kids, in an atmosphere of wicked aunts, charming elder sisters, and sentimentality.

Metropole

If **This Man is Dangerous** had been made in America it would probably have been intolerable. It is, however, a Pathé production, thus retaining a certain semblance of order, for which, I suppose, we must be duly thankful. The story revolves around the idiosyncracies of a young private detective, who is trying to track down a gang of kidnappers before his father, Chief Superintendent of Police, can do so. His efforts lead him into many rather improbable scrapes, but, by employing methods which can hardly be called conventional, he manages to "deliver the goods," while the regular police, with Dad well to the foreground, bark up as many trees as they can find.

There is nothing particularly noteworthy about this film, but, as I said before, it might have been American. In support is "You're Out of Luck," with Frankie Darro.

Royal

There is, apparently, something about the American Navy which signifies a vast amount of noise, much fighting and general wild revelry when it is used as a background to a film. Despite its following true to the above formula, **The Navy Steps Out** is a cheerful presentation, and the amazing family circle of the Duncans makes it alone worth a visit. Briefly, the plot concerns the translation of a charming secretary, Lucille Ball, from being sweetheart of sailor George Murphy to her eventual destiny as wife of the "boss," Edmond O'Brien. Everyone concerned is, however, so incredibly honourable that the translation is a rather protracted business, but there is sufficient humour and wisecracks to pass the time very pleasantly.

Kitty Foyle (Capitol). A disappointing picture, despite some valiant efforts from Ginger Rogers and Gladys Cooper.

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Mr. and Mrs. Smith (Regal Rooms). Magnificent comedy by Carole Lombard and Robert Montgomery in one of Hollywood's best matrimonial muddles.

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The Road to 'Frisco (Green). Curves versus nerves, with a background of lorry crashes, murders and lemons. Starring George Raft, Ann Sheridan, Ida Lupino and Humphrey Bogart.

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Devil and the Deep (Grafton). Typically Laughtonian acting, with excellent support from Tallulah Bankhead.

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Song o' My Heart (Astor). A reissue that will be welcomed by all those thousands who are John McCormack fans.

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Q 'Planes (Astoria). Laurence Olivier and Valerie Hobson concern themselves with the too-frequent disappearance of new bombers, and also "The Captain is a Lady" until Wednesday. Robert Taylor is tolerable in "Waterloo Bridge" for the rest of the week.

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Flight Command (Pavilion). Robert Taylor again, but this time the same old conceited undergraduate. From Thursday Henry Fonda in "The Return of Frank James."

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Duley (Regent), with Ann Sothern and Ian Hunter, from Monday. Deanna Durbin in "Spring Parade," with Robert Cummings and Mischa Auer, from Thursday.

LOCAL OFFICIALS' SUPERANNUATION

UNION DEMANDS LEGISLATION

The introduction of a Superannuation Bill, with provision for dependents of officers, who died in service; the setting up of an arbitration board to deal with disputes, between the Minister and local government officials; and the standardisation of salaries of clerical officers and typists, were some of the matters considered by the Irish Local Government Officials' Union at their annual conference in the City Hall, Dublin, on Saturday last, at the morning session, of which Mr. N. B. Foley, Dublin, presided.

Extending a welcome to the delegates, the Lord Mayor (Mrs. T. Clarke) said that the officials of the union had a fine record in the national struggle. They should remain organised to safeguard their interests in the changes that were coming in this country, in common with all other countries.

Presenting the annual report, Mr. Archie Heron, General Secretary, said that the Trade Union Bill was serious for their union, not least because of the £2,000 deposit provision, which would nominally be their property, but could not be used for other union purposes. They were in the unfortunate position of having no reserve fund, but he had no doubt the sum would be raised. The nett result would be to place organisations such as theirs under Government control, and it would then be a matter for the Government what unions should function. Referring to the Local Government Bill, he said that it would give the Minister full power over pay and conditions of officials. There was no guarantee that pay would not be reduced.

The report was adopted.

IN THE MINISTER'S HANDS

Mr. M. J. Foley, Laoighis, who was elected President, in his address said that legislation was being enacted that would have far-reaching effects upon the future of local government. The Local Government Bill, in particular, would bring the determination of their conditions of employment completely into the hands of the Minister and his Department. It was not, unfortunately, their experience that Government departments were always solicitious for the well-being of local officers, and he felt there was great need for vigilance on the part of the Union.

Deploring the delay in introducing the long-promised Superannuation Bill, he said the chief defect in the present pension code was that no provision was made for the relatives of officials who died in the service. Whoever was responsible for the delay must bear a certain responsibility for the plight of dependants who had been left in a condition approximating to destitution.

It was a legitimate grievance that the advice of the Union was seldom sought in connection with departmental schemes and projected legislation. On the other hand, when there was work to be done they were invariably called upon.

ASSURANCE OF HARMONY

He had learned that there was resentment in the Department at the criticism passed in Union circles of their treatment of recommendations of local authorities, but he could assure the Minister and his staff that it was the great desire of that Union to work in harmony with them, always provided they received the fair and sympathetic consideration they believed they deserved.

On the motion of Limerick branch resolutions were passed asking the Minister for Local Government to set up an arbitration board to deal with any disputes that may arise between the local government officials and the Minister, and urging the salaries of clerical officers and typists employed by local authorities should be standardised.

The following were elected Vice-Presidents:—P. O'Flanagan (Limerick), J. J. Delaney (Dublin), and K. M. Power (Dublin).

TRIBUTE OF DUBLIN CITY MANAGER

At a supper held in the Dolphin Hotel Mr. P. J. Hernon, Dublin City Manager, said that administration of local authority was most difficult and intricate, but the standard reflected credit on the staffs of the different bodies represented by the union. He urged on the younger officials especially to exercise courtesy to the public, who had to find the money for the services and who were entitled to good value.

Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D., said that it was a great tribute to the union that it could supply the officials needed as a result of recent changes in local government administration and other legislation now in the making.

Mr. T. C. O'Mahony, Borough Manager, Dun Laoghaire, said that Irish local government officials were as efficient a body as could be found in this or any country.

WEDDING

MR. E. SWEETMAN AND MISS UNA CASSIDY

The wedding took place on Saturday last at the University Church, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, of Mr. Edmund Sweetman, third son of Mr. Roger Sweetman, Derrybawn, Glendalough, County Wicklow, and Miss Una Cassidy, daughter of the late Dr. Louis Cassidy and of Mrs. Cassidy, 24 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin. The church was decorated with iris and lilac.

The ceremony was performed by the bride's cousin, the Rev. Dr. E. Maguire, assisted by the Rev. Dr. O'Brien.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. A. D. Cassidy.

The Misses Doris Potter, Brenda Cullen, Brigid Sweetman and Mary Farrell were the bridesmaids.

Masters Michael Sweetman, H. Russell, and Miss Elizabeth Sweetman were the child attendants.

Mr. Tony McDowell acted as best man, and the groomsmen in the church were Mr. Hugh Sweetman, Mr. Allen Nolan, Dr. Maurice Hegarty and Mr. James Meenan.

After a reception held at 24 Fitzwilliam square by the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Sweetman left for Connemara.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS OF FURNITURE AND FINE ARTS

TUESDAY.

1 Florence terrace, Leeson Park avenue (James H. North and Co.); Breffni, Church road, Dalkey (Jackson Stops and McCabe); 53 Morehampton road, Donnybrook (Battersby and Co.); 61 Lr. Mount street (Robert J. Goff and Co., Ltd.).

WEDNESDAY.

71 Ranelagh road (McMullan Brothers, M.I.A.A.); 19 Stephen's Green, North (Adam and Sons).

THURSDAY.

119 (formerly 90) Upper Leeson street (James H. North and Co.); 19 Stephen's Green, North (Adam and Sons).

FRIDAY.

51 Belmont avenue, Donnybrook (Battersby and Co.).

Mr. Mich l Cahill, . Leix, who has b.en elected the new President of the Irish Local Government Officials' Union.

OBITUARY

MAJOR-GENERAL SIR W. WATSON PIKE

The death of Major-General Sir William Watson Pike, K.C.M.G., D.S.O., A.M.S., occurred last week at Lincoln, at the age of 81. Major-General Pike, who was the second son of the late William Pike, of Glendarary, qualified in the Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, in 1880 and became a Fellow of the College in 1888. He also qualified in the College of Physicians in 1880. In 1882 he joined the British Army, and from 1899 to 1902 he served in South Africa with the rank of Surgeon-Major, was mentioned in despatches and was awarded the Queen's Medal, the King's Medal and the D.S.O. In 1902 he was promoted Lieutenant-Colonel and in 1911 Colonel. On the outbreak of war in 1914 he was made Director of Medical Services to the First Army, B.E.F. He served from that time to 1917, was mentioned in despatches, received the C.M.G. and was promoted Surgeon-General. During 1917-19 he was on special commissions to East Africa and India, and in 1920 he retired with the rank of Major-General. In his youth Sir William was a fine Rugby and hockey player. He was on the Irish Rugby team from 1879-1883, and played inter-provincial hockey in 1898. In 1886 he married Miss Sarah L. Wheatley, who died in 1918.

MR. SEAN O MURTHUILE

The death has occurred at the Mercy Hospital, Cork, of Mr. Sean O Murthuile, Pier View House, Cork, a former Quartermaster-General of the Irish Army. He played an important part in the Anglo-Irish struggle, and after a period as Quartermaster-General, following upon the establishment of the Irish Free State, retired with the rank of Lieutenant-General about the year 1924. For a number of years he was manager of the Cork branch office of Irish Hospitals' Trust, Ltd. He was a native of Leap, West Cork, and was a close friend and confidant of the late Michael Collins. In his early days he was Secretary and Treasurer of the Irish Republican Brotherhood.

MR. MICHAEL J. NUGENT

Mr. Michael J. Nugent, whose death is announced, was Chief Sub-Editor of the *Sunday Independent* and a former Secretary of the Dublin branch of the Newspaper Press Fund. A native of Dublin, he received his early education at the O'Connell School, and was connected with the magazine, *Our Boys*. He was a member of the Institute of Journalists.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10 a.m. Psalm, 146. Chant, 56. Jubilate, 2. Hymn, 722. Evensong at 4 o'clock. Psalm, 148. Chant, 71. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Tours in F. Anthem, "Almighty and merciful God." Goss.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—Matins at 10.45 o'clock. Venite, 410. Psalm, 145 (412). Te Deum, 31, 32, 33. Hymn, 343. Evensong at 3 o'clock. Boys' voices only. Psalm, 147 (419). Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, W. Sydney Greig in E. Anthem, "Behold, He sendeth One," C. H. H. Parry (1848-1918).

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JOINT RHEUMATISM

LUMBAGO, SCIATICA, NEURITIS, GOUT, FIBROSITIS, SYNOVITIS, MYALGIA

Yield like magic to

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Test this claim for Yourself—FREE

THERE is not the slightest reason why sufferers from the torture of Rheumatism should continue to suffer any onger. Rheumatism CAN now be absolutely banished . . . iterally expelled from the system . . . in a safe, sure and pleasant way . . . by a method that so completely clears the poisonous toxins from the human organism that the path of heir return is definitely barred for the future.

These are no idle claims—they have been substantiated time and time again—they are the results achieved after long and careful laboratory experiments by a famous London Specialist, Mr. Charles Stafford, in combining in a hitherto undiscovered formula certain safe and harmless Herbs. This combination of natural Herbs has an astonishing effect on Uric Acid complaints . . . . sufferers crippled and racked with the gnawing agony of Arthritis, Sciatica, Gout, Lumbago and Neuritis have been put on their feet again as normal happy people with all their aches and pains left behind for good.

Sceptics were soon convinced when case after case, recovery after recovery (often under medical auspices) proved the immediate and lasting benefit obtainable — especially when it established its success in apparently hopeless cases where spa treatment, light treatment, massage, manipulation, etc., all had failed.

Every class of Rheumatism or allied complaint is successfully attacked by the Stafford Treatment — the inflamed patches and locked joints of Rheumatoid Arthritis, the stabbing pains of Sciatica, the muscle-searing aches of Fibrositis, or the nerve-torturing Neuritis.

Rheumatic sufferers will be delighted to know that they can test this wonderful treatment FREE—in the comfort and convenience of their own homes. This marvellous opportunity is afforded them in the following three-fold offer:—1. FREE TRIAL SUPPLY. 2. FREE BOOK of Advice on Rheumatic Ailments. 3. Recorded testimony of Thousands of Grateful Patients. This free trial will prove that by the use of Stafford Herbs at home you can end your agony and torture—no matter how long you have been suffering, no matter how deep-seated the particular complaint may be.

How the Charles Stafford All-Herbal Rheumatism Treatment was first evolved

Charles Stafford's family history was "rheumatic" and he noticed the first twinges when he was 26. By the age of 34 he was crippled, hobbling about on sticks in misery, confined to the house. However, he did not give in. He studied medicine, and after a great deal of research — and disappointment — he finally triumphed. For he discovered a new herbal combination, which he applied to his case, and soon discovered a clear improvement. Persevering, within six weeks his recovery was complete—his joints were free, his muscles supple, he could walk, work, and enjoy life. Struck by his remarkable success, scores of local sufferers took his herbal treatment—with the same happy results. Soon the ever-widening demand had become so great that a company had to be formed to supply the most outstanding medical discovery of years —**"The Charles Stafford All-Herbal Home Treatment."**

A PERMANENT REMEDY.

Not Temporary Relief only

Now the way the Stafford Herbal Treatment works is to restore the blood to its original healthy state so that it can vigorously fight and "throw out" the disorder in the system wherever it actually may be . . . . in the Joints **(Rheumatoid Arthritis)**, in the Muscles **(Muscular Rheumatism)**, in the Fibres **(Fibrositis)**, or in the Nerves **(Neuritis or Sciatica)**. No matter where located, no matter how long it may have been there, no matter how deep-seated, this wonderful Treatment causes the Rheumatism rapidly to disappear—and with it all its stiffness and gnawing agony. **Furthermore — fresh formations are definitely impossible.** These herbs are ready to take in a handy, pleasant, convenient form for young or old—there is no messy, unpalatable "dosing." Speedy noticeable effects are a wonderful all-round health improvement and the steady return of pain-free movement to stiff joints, the reduction of swellings and lumps, and the rapid fading of pains.

NO "HEART EFFECTS"

Many drugs recommended for Rheumatism injure the heart. The pure herbs used in the Charles Stafford Treatment cannot possibly affect the weakest heart.

NO DIGESTIVE ILL-EFFECTS

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A SPECIALISED TREATMENT

Please do not confuse the Stafford Treatment with any other treatment—there is none other like it. The wonderful efficacy of this outstanding Treatment arises from the fact that it is a Specialised Treatment prepared by a Specialist for Rheumatic Disorders only; it is not claimed as a **"Cure-All"**—to-day for one ailment, to-morrow for another.

CUT SHORT SUFFERINGS WITH FREE SUPPLY

The Trial Supply offered **FREE** to-day to readers of the "Irish Times" will demonstrate the marvellous efficacy of this Treatment far more effectively than pages of explanation. Send for it **NOW**—do not suffer a day longer than you need—do not delay while the trouble gradually grows worse. The sooner you get the Trial Treatment the sooner will you lose those Rheumatic Aches and Pains, those disfiguring swellings, and restore glorious **FREEDOM** to aching and Locked Joints and Stiffened Muscles. Fill in the form on right—and post it **TO-DAY.**

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MANY THOUSANDS OF TESTIMONIALS

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BELOW ARE GIVEN EXTRACTS FROM A FEW:

VISCOUNTESS writes:
"I am deriving great benefit from your treatment, and am recommending it to friends."

A SAILOR writes:
Cardiff.
After undergoing your herbal treatment my **Neuritis** all disappeared and I have felt nothing of it from that to this. F.G.

FROM A PRIEST:
Golders Green, N.W.
I felt that Rheumatism was beginning to get a hold upon me. But after about three weeks, thanks to your treatment, I lost all pains, and now feel that it is quite easy to keep Rheumatism at bay. Rev. J. P.

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Thank you for my great recovery. The **Sciatica** vanished and I have been able to work in the slate quarry through the winter in the rain and mist without the slightest sign of pain. D. O.

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I am writing to thank you for the good your treatment has done me. I am in my ninety-second year.
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My **Lumbago** had completely gone before I had finished the treatment. H. A.

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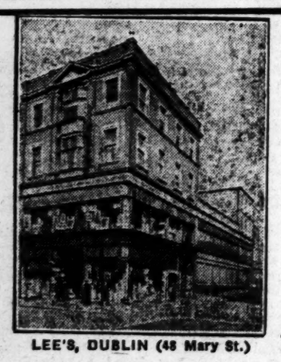

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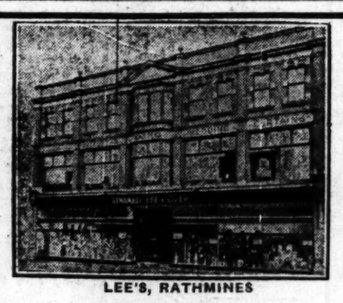

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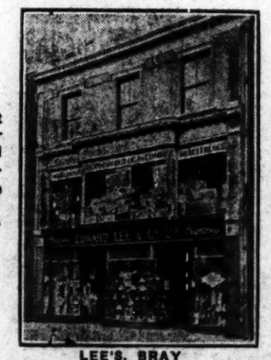

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